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National Conservative Movement Requires Unyielding Leadership

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Personal complications in the life of Gov. Nelson Rockefeller may set off a political chain reaction that will profoundly affect the conservative revival in America. The peril may be as great as the opportunity.

No citizen should forget the enormous attraction the prize of the presidency holds for men in public life. Many men have been moved by opportunism to turn aside from the straight and narrow path of principle. Richard Nixon first gained fame as a congressman who espoused what The New York Times would call "rightwing radicalism." Once in high office, he came to believe that he had to shift to a more central position in order to be elected president. He became a middle-of-the-roader, and the result was failure at the polls.

Failing Strategy

Sen. Barry Goldwater faces the same risk. If it appears that, because of personal considerations, Gov. Rockefeller won't run for the Republican nomination or can be beaten with ease, Sen. Goldwater will be in a position to capitalize on the situation. But the special temptation that confronts him is the one that confronted Mr. Nixon. He may decide that edging away from all-out conservatives is the course of wisdom. He may seek to occupy the central position in Republican politics that Nixon held in recent years. In short, he may try to get some of the enthusiasm and votes that now belong to Gov. Rockefeller.

We see the outline of such a dangerous move in his comments Sunday in which he reversed a previously held position and criticized so-called extremists on the right. We use the word "dangerous" advisedly, for even a partial rejection of hard core conservatives could cost Sen. Goldwater his solid base of support in the nation. He has only to study Mr. Nixon's career to learn this lesson.

Sen. Goldwater should clearly understand, before making any new moves, that what counts for conservatives is the movement, not the man. The only individuals respected by conservatives are those who stand like a rock and who never yield to opportunism.

There is a wave of conservative revivalism sweeping across America. To The News and Courier come letters and pamphlets from all parts of the nation, communications which reveal the fervor of citizens dedicated to eradicating leftism. These individuals, and the unorganized, non-partisan movement of which they are a part, are in no mood for compromise or accommodation. They don't want to put their hearts and souls in a struggle to oust the New Frontier only to achieve a watery gruel of Eisenhower-type conservatism. A heroic struggle must have great results.

Thurmond's Role

South Carolinians can take pride that the model of national conservatism is one of their own, Strom Thurmond. He is receiving praise from conservatives in all parts of the nation. The Dallas Morning News, one of the strongest press voices in the Southwest, last week devoted a lead editorial to Sen. Thurmond's stand. "Thurmond is not easily detoured," said The Morning News. "South Carolinians do not have a heritage of retreat . . . Dallas votes 65 to 75 per cent in favor of Thurmond's philosophy."

Many times in the last decade Strom Thurmond could have chosen the path of opportunism and joined forces with the dominant forces in the national Democratic Party. But Sen. Thurmond stuck with South Carolina and conservative principles, and he is honored for it—nationally as well as in his own state.

We restate these truths today because Strom Thurmond is becoming THE conservative leader in Washington. He outshone Sen. Goldwater in the last session of Congress. He is gaining in stature all the time. People know that Sen. Thurmond is not a compromiser, that no prize is so glittering that it shines brighter than the goals of the conservative movement.

The News and Courier hopes that Sen. Goldwater will not make errors of strategy that would cost him conservative support. He has done yeoman work for the country. We hope and trust that many years of sound leadership yet will be provided by him. But no man can be a middle - of - the - roader and also command the respect and loyalty of aroused conservatives. Spokesmen for a cause may come and go, but the effort to save the republic will not slacken.

What Are We Selling?

(Reprinted from CHATTANOOGA NEWS-FREE PRESS)

The job of the U.S. Information Agency, we are told, is to "sell" America and the American way of life to other nations of the world. The chief means of carrying out this worthwhile project is by news broadcasts beamed to all parts of the globe.

Just to check up on how this work is progressing under the direction of President Kennedy's appointee, Edward R. Murrow, the *Rockford* (Ill.) *Register-Republic* recently selected at random five days of scripts of broadcasts the USIA was using in its work. To its astonishment, the Rockford newspaper discovered from reading the scripts that while the USIA is doing a first rate job in "promoting" and "selling," the product being "sold" isn't the United States at all. It is the UN.

For instance, in discussing the large grants of aid to African nations, the USIA gave all the credit to the UN, without bothering to mention that U.S. taxpayers supply a huge percentage of every grant the UN makes. And this pattern of building up the image of the UN at every opportunity while forgetting all about America, the *Register-Republic* found, ran through all the USIA scripts it examined.

In short, the USIA, under the direction of Edward R. Murrow, has been twisted into something which could more accurately be called a "UNIA."

No Friend Of West

Election of U Thant of Burma to the post of acting Secretary General of the United Nations is indication of that body's continuing leftward drift.

The country U Thant has represented in the U.N. the last four years has been Marxist-oriented since it received its independence after World War II. It is next door to Communist China and lives in fear of invasion by the Red colossus of the North. It is only reasonable to assume that U Thant, as a Burmese official, will reflect the bias and fear prevalent in his country.

THE ENEMY WITHIN

(Reprinted from THE INDIANAPOLIS NEWS)

The grass-roots surge toward anti-Communism continues. Mass rallies and new organizations continue to make headlines, and to signal America's disgust with two decades of appeasement.

This movement has provoked a burst of vilification from such as President Kennedy and Governor Matthew Welsh. The anti-Communists, claim these august critics, don't understand what the cold war is all about. They suggest America is beset by a menacing internal danger, whereas, according to such as Welsh and Kennedy, the real danger is wholly external.

As Robert Morris pointed out in a recent column, President Kennedy and his fellow liberals are wrong on this score, and the anti-Communists are right. The major danger to our survival today, properly understood, is internal. And if we could deal with this threat conclusively, we should have a much easier time of it handling our external troubles.

This is not to say, however, that the threat is primarily that of Communist subversion. Subversion, as the recent defections from the National Security Agency demonstrate, is indeed a danger--much more so than the liberals would have us believe. But it is not the principal danger--and it is not what most anti-Communists refer to when they say the real problem is internal.

The internal danger, instead, is liberalism itself. It is the complex of beliefs, slogans, and biases which substitutes disastrous illusions for the hard imperatives of realistic policy; which bemuses the American mind with reveries of "world opinion," and "understanding" with the Communists, and which pursues fantasies designed to win the cold war by giving billions of dollars to Communist nations. It is the mentality which has led America into the paths of weakness and delusion, and which has handed the Kremlin one victory after another.

It was the internal threat of liberalism, for example, which needlessly betrayed anti-Communist governments in Poland and Yugoslavia; which made fantastic concessions to Stalin at Yalta and Teheran; which told us Mao Tse-tung was an "agrarian reformer," and consigned 600 million Chinese to the living death of Communism; which portrayed Fidel Castro as a Latin George Washington, and turned Cuba over to the Kremlin; which at this moment is helping undermine the anti-Communist regime of Moise Tshombe in the CONGO.

In each of these episodes, a policy of minimal intelligence would have thwarted the objectives of the Communists. Instead, in each one, the Communists won or are winning a major victory--thanks to our own liberal-directed policy. The external threat of Communism, in short, can do little without the internal threat of liberalism in control of American policies.

The United States today is by far the strongest nation in the world. If its strength is used intelligently, it has, even today, little to fear from Communism. What it does have to fear is the likelihood that, under the liberal stewardship, its strength will not be used, or will be used stupidly, or, worst of all, will be used to defeat anti-Communists and aid pro-Communists (as has been the case in the Congo).

The real danger besetting America today is the danger that, with liberal illusions governing our national destiny, we will continue our needless series of surrenders to the Kremlim. If the internal menace of liberalism can be disposed of, and its misuse of our power corrected, we can then move decisively to dispose of the external threat of Communism.

Dangerous Cutback Of U. S. Striking Force

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By BONNER FELLERS

Russia is the base from which the Communist-announced dream of world domination must of necessity emanate. The Kremlin will not knowingly risk destruction of this base. Therefore, our aerospace striking power, if maintained superior to that of Russia, is reasonably certain to preclude a major nuclear war.

From World War II, air power emerged as the greatest striking force known. Air power and sea blockade forced Japan to surrender without an army invasion. So potent a role did air power play in this war that it was generally realized that neither armies nor navies could long survive without control of the air above them.

Today, however, some are failing fully to appreciate the fact that the only effective Free World military shield is the nuclear striking power of the United States. It is the only decisive force which stands between freedom and slavery. It is the only military force which the Kremlin fears. On it our defense has been based.

Despite these obvious facts, our 1963 defense budget—now being prepared fails to insure continuance of the United States supremacy in nuclear capability. Instead of continuing superior nuclear striking power — which we unquestionably have today — a wholly inadequate conventional warfare capability is gradually to be substituted. This conventional warfare program is no threat whatsoever to the vast Red Army, submarine fleet and air force. Here is the plan as reflected in the fiscal year 1963 defense budget, now being shaped in the Pentagon:

1—The Minute Man missile production program is to be cut from 600 to 100 a year. The mobile (railway) Minute Man production is to be cut from 300 to 100. This reduces the total production from about 3,300 to 900.

2—The B-70 bomber program is being reduced to three — more likely to one — a transport-type aircraft with no usefulness as a weapon.

3—No more B-52 bombers (the backbone of our present striking power) will be built after the current contract runs out in 1962.

4—No more B-58s are to be built.

5—The F-108 supersonic fighter production was cancelled last year. The F-106 now in production will be discontinued upon completion of the present small contract.

6—The F-100 was scheduled to be retired in 1965. Now it will be retained until 1970 and used for delivery of conventional bombs.

7—Funds for the Dyna-Soar X-15, which has already proved that it can orbit and then reenter the atmosphere under manual control—an advance over Russian development—have been cut from $185 million to $65 million.

8—No more advanced aircraft are to be produced. Inferior sub-sonic aircraft will be substituted; 585 such craft are to be built. For arming them $500 million is to be spent annually on old-fashioned conventional bombs!

9—The Air Force had planned to build nine wings of C-141 transport planes. A high Pentagon official is reported to have seen and liked the Canadian "Swing Tail" transport, which our Air Force had rejected. This official plans to stop production of the C-141 and order 75 Canadian "Swing Tails." After their delivery he means to "resume" C-141 production!

10—The atomic warhead production for Nike missiles is being cut back.

11—Despite the fact that Red military personnel main their space craft, our space development is largely under civilian control. Space funds allot $2 billion for "peaceful" and only $1 billion for military development.

12—Air Force research and development for the fiscal year 1963 is being cut in half—a $2 billion cut. In 1965, for the first time, we shall lag in technology because we are planning it that way. The Russians led us initially in space development because they started first. Now we know they plan to lead in nuclear air and space power and we are planning to permit this advantage.

The Kremlin recognizes only force. Without superior United States striking power, no national strategy, no Free World strategy, no Kremlin negotiations can succeed. Without superior striking power, small Communist-kindled wars cannot be limited.

In turning from nuclear to conventional warfare weapons, some may find comfort. However, even were the enemy to follow suit, it could be suicidal for us. We and the Free World are not equipped either to deter or to win a war against the Soviets with conventional weapons. On the other hand, we can build better planes; we have better trained crews to fly them; we are not committed to a vast land army as is Russia.

As a consequence, it is readily within our capability to create and maintain superior nuclear striking forces.

The manned bomber is not on the way out.

Missiles, at best, can only complement the bomber. Missiles can strike only known targets; they cannot seek targets; once launched, they cannot be recalled.

Despite these well-known facts, within three years, present Pentagon planning will provide almost no new United States aircraft or missile production. By then, and with our gradual shift from nuclear to conventional capability, we shall be at the mercy of the Kremlin.

Russia's great obsession is to induce us to remove our present overwhelming nuclear threat. Once this is accomplished, no effective force stands between the Free World and Communist domination.

One is compelled to wonder —what is the reason for our failure to plan future superior striking power over the Red forces?

Could it be that we are deliberately permitting our striking power to fall into second place?

Will we next be told that, since the Soviets have become stronger and have the power to destroy us, our only hope for survival is to join a world order?

Whatever may be the reason, if we drift into second place militarily, this much is certain: it will be the end of free men everywhere.

Only the present Congress can correct this alarming situation.

Giving Aid And Comfort To Our Enemies

(Reprinted from THE (Phoenix) ARIZONA REPUBLIC)

It is becoming daily more difficult to pick up a paper without reading that the United States is aiding its Communist enemy. The latest example, one more instance in a never-ending series, was the disclosure that the U.S. is giving to Communist Yugoslavia a $200,000 nuclear reactor, and is currently training 14 Communist Yugoslav scientists in U.S. atomic laboratories.

While the agreement to give the reactor to Yugoslavia was signed during the Eisenhower administration's "atoms for peace" program, an Atomic Energy Commission spokesman pointed out that knowledge of producing radioisotopes (the reactor's product) "can be applied theoretically in any field - medical, agricultural, industrial, or the military." This means, then, that our "atoms for peace" program can be - and probably is being - used to build up Communist Yugoslavia's military complex. Was the thinking in Washington that, as long as we were giving Yugoslavia an American jet fighter fleet at cut rate prices, we owed it to the Yugoslavs at least to provide them with nuclear weapons also?

The latest disclosure came on the heels of a recent study by a member of the Library of Congress, Dr. Charles Zalar, that Yugoslav President Tito is using U.S. aid - more than $100 million worth, so far - to spread communism in neutral nations. And it also comes on the heels of numerous Tito splenetic attacks on the U.S. for delaying grain shipments to his Red nation. (The grain, needless to say, was finally sent.) The Arizona Republic long has opposed the naive view that U.S. aid can drive a wedge between satellite nations and Russia, realizing that our aid to Communist nations has been used by Red rulers to increase their grip on the country and to spread communism throughout the world. And apparently a number of others are equally skeptical.

In the New York Times magazine of Nov. 26, for example, there appeared an article ("Tito's Neutral Road") which said this of the "rift" between Tito and Soviet Russia: "Although shaken by the clash, Tito in no way lost his faith in Marxism . . . The system (the Yugoslavs) developed his borrowed ideas and methods from capitalism, but it is a mistake to think, as many people in the West seem to, that the Yugoslavs are moving away from Communism." Replying to Communist bloc criticism that the Yugoslavs have become "agents of American imperialism," the Yugoslavs, said the writer, "reply that it was simply good Marxist strategy to obtain from the West the means for transforming their country into a Communist society. Tito and his associates can rightfully boast that in accepting aid from the West, they have never subscribed to any commitment that could curb their freedom of action."

Yugoslavia, the article said, has in no way diluted the Communist essence of its system. Tito has repeatedly declared: "I am a Communist, and nothing but a Communist." This statement inescapably means that "the Yugoslav chief subscribes to the Marxist theory of the inevitable decline of capitalism and the triumph of communism," and, as Tito himself told a recent interviewer, although the Soviet Union and Yugoslavia differed as to methods, their basic aims were identical. "As a dedicated Communist, he must pursue a path that he feels will lead him to the same goal the Soviet leaders have in mind," the author said. "As a disciple of Marx and Lenin, he still must see in the Soviet Union a comradely nation, mistaken perhaps, but traveling in his direction. A quarrel with the West is a quarrel with a philosophy alien to him. A quarrel with Moscow is a family fight."

We hope the National Indignation Committee is still alive and still active, for there is still plenty to be indignant about.

What Right Wing?

(Reprinted from THE AMERICAN PURPOSE NEWSLETTER)

If you were standing at the North Pole, you could point in any direction and truthfully say, "That is South." There is no other direction from that spot. Similarly, if you take a position of standing upon strict observance of the Constitution, there is only one direction away from it: to the left. If the socialists call you a "right winger" it is because the center seems to the right when one is on the far left. All welfare staters, socialists, fascists, nazis, communists, New Fronters and other deviationists from constitutional procedure are to the left. If any of these worthies feel an urge to refer to constitutionalists as the "right wing," they must accept the only proper contrary nomenclature of the "wrong wing."

KIND TO KILLERS

The Kennedy administration's foreign policy seems to be based on belief that the United States should be kinder to its enemies than its friends.

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This newspaper is dedicated to the defeat of Socialist and Communist influences that now pervade the thinking and the policies of our Federal government and the two major political parties. We believe that there is no difference between a New Deal Democrat and a Socialist-Internationalist Republican.

This newspaper will continue to promote all individuals and organizations who believe that a new political party based on Constitutional States Rights is the answer to the Socialism that has captured both (formerly great) parties.

We will never align ourselves with any person or group which preaches hatred. Instead we will conserve our energy for the fight against atheistic Communism, and we pledge ourselves to LOVE OF GOD AND AN INDEPENDENT U.S.A.

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Move To Attach Political Adviser To SAC Calls For Senate Inquiry

(Reprinted from Charleston, S.C., NEWS & COURIER)

Has the Kennedy administration drafted a plan to attach political commissars to U.S. military units?

That is a matter the Senate Armed Services subcommittee, charged with inquiring into troop information programs, should investigate when it begins hearings in January.

We note with concern appointment of a so-called "political adviser" to the Strategic Air Command, Edward L. Freers, minister-counselor at the American embassy in Moscow for the last two years, recently was named to the post. He is the first political adviser to be assigned to SAC. This elite bomber force has been in existence for more than a decade. In all that time, Presidents Truman and Eisenhower never saw fit to give SAC a "political adviser."

The official explanation is that the appointment represents an expansion of the administration's effort to develop closer cooperation between the State and Defense Departments. But the Senate Armed Services Committee learned Sept. 6 that this "cooperation" involves censorship of speeches by military officers.

The American people have a right to know the attitude of Mr. Freers who is to advise the Strategic Air Command. Is he like the soft-thinkers who let Cuba fall to the Reds? Mr. Freers should be called to testify before the Senate Armed Services subcommittee.

As the Washington Star has pointed out, Mr. Freers would become one of the key figures in the U.S. government in the event of all-out nuclear war. His record as Director of Eastern European Affairs should be thoroughly reviewed by the full Senate Armed Services Committee.

We say this with no antagonism toward Mr. Freers as an individual. The same procedure should be applied to any person selected for this sensitive job.

Views held by other "political advisers" to military commands should be put into the record.

Not only should these individuals be called, but the Secretaries of State and Defense should be summoned to clarify the role assigned a "political adviser". Unless these responsible officials can satisfy the Senate Armed Services Committee, the public may rightly fear appointment of political commissars. In socialist states, political officers are assigned to troops to see that they hold views in accordance with the party apparatus.

U.S. military commanders should not be humiliated by any system of secret control whereby elite State Department officials can tell the military what to do or think. The Department of Defense was created by legislation of the Congress. Therefore, Congress has a right to find out whether any law is being violated by executive arrangement.

Appointment of a "political adviser" may be only the top of the iceberg. Leftwingers of the New Frontier may be planning a new series of moves to silence and bind anti-communists in the armed services. Senate hearings beginning in January are of momentous importance.

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Now, Super Patriots; Are There Degrees?

What might be termed a cold civil war appears to be in progress in the United States.

The forces aligned on the side of the welfare state, big government, vast spending and high taxation have launched a bitter, spitball attack on the "super patriots," "extremists" or what have you on the rightist side.

This constitutes the best sign to be seen yet that the wave of conservatism, demanding a return to constitutional government, is making itself felt.

There is a note of panic in the utterances of President Kennedy, Atty. Gen. Bobby Kennedy and former President Eisenhower.

Particularly interesting was Mr. Eisenhower's Thanksgiving Day blast. He referred to the opposition as "super patriots" and declared: "I don't think the United States needs super patriots."

We are sure the former President did not stop to weigh his words. If he had, he would have realized that in his own mind he was acknowledging the dedication of the great masses becoming involved in the conservative shift.

The term "super patriots" is intended as derogatory, of course.

Mr. Eisenhower knows as well as anyone that there are no degrees, no shades of patriotism.

It is a case of either being true and patriotic to one's country or being unpatriotic.

There are, naturally, degrees of disloyalty.

One can be disloyal in a lesser degree, supporting gradual encroachments on constitutional freedoms. One can openly and actively strive for a socialistic, welfare state. Or, one can serve the enemy entirely without consideration for the good of one's own country.

And virtually every one falling into these categories wants to parade as a patriot.

This is the reason the shoe pinches.

It is becoming difficult for the self-labeled phony "patriots" to maintain the pose when more and more people are matching patriotism up with performance.

The part-time "patriot" suffers when it is found his support of his country is but 10, 30, 55 or 70 per cent of his record.

We cannot help but wonder if Mr. Eisenhower's counter blows may not be an effort to still the small, quiet voice which may be reminding him of decisions or compromises which did not measure up four square with his own concepts of patriotism.

The position of President Kennedy and brother Bobby is more understandable.

They waged a bitter battle barely a year ago to swing American thinking over to the dreams of the New Frontier. This was designed as a vast extension of the welfare state, socialist philosophy.

The paper-thin margin of the victory was a big shock to the group. However, they entered the White House with every confidence that popular backing would be forthcoming as the regime advanced.

But Congress and the country did not go along.

Spending, the Cuban situation, losses in the cold war throughout the world and a general lack of leadership did nothing to bolster confidence in and enthusiasm for the administration.

Meanwhile, there are the pressures coming up from the grass roots aimed at directing the thinking and the course of our nation.

Patriotism, a burning desire to see America prevail against its ideological challenge, underlies the ground swell. There are suspicions and concern that many of our losses have been due to the fact that some in the chain of command in Washington have lacked true dedication to our purposes.

There is some encouragement in the fact the President and his advisors have as much as taken note of this reaction.

It is disappointing to see they choose to resist the will of the people rather than reshape their own thinking. But even this may be good as it serves to clarify the issues for the great number who have not as yet crystallized their own thinking.

Mr. Eisenhower had his chance to give the people the leadership and direction they wanted. He fell short of the high hopes for him.

Now, Mr. Kennedy has the responsibility. He will have to meet the challenge by positive action acceptable to the people. Either he comes up with a program, both domestic and foreign, which is in the interests of America and which the people will support enthusiastically or he faces growing opposition.

He is wasting his time trying to tell the people of America that patriotism, dedication to constitutional government and an all-out fight against communism is wrong and detrimental to our national interest. Few will bother to listen and fewer will buy that line.

HARVEY A. CALL

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TROJAN HORSE FROM CUBA

(Reprinted from December 15, 1961 issue of INFORM Newsletter)

CUBA-BASED COMMUNISTS are directing a mass infiltration into the U.S.. Behind the wave of turbulence sweeping Latin America colonies in the U.S. is the flood of incoming Cuban leftists posing as refugees. Alarmed Cuban exile leaders have been frantically warning U.S. authorities that the stream of refugees from Cuba is being used to hide a political invasion. LITERALLY THOUSANDS of notoriously fanatical Castro-Communists have been admitted to the U.S. in recent months. Known Communist leaders are "fleeing" to the U.S. from Castro Cuba. One of these is Celestino Fernandez, a thirty-year Party veteran. Another is Enrique Echevarria, who directed a revolutionary tribunal which sent 71 anti-Communist Cubans to firing squads.

THE CASTRO UNDERGROUND is becoming increasingly bold and violent. Castro-Communists now dominate Tampa's large Cuban colony. A united front of Cubans, Puerto Ricans and negro extremists has become a political force in Spanish Harlem in New York.

A CALCULATED CAMPAIGN to exacerbate dissension in anti-Castro political groups and increase tensions between the refugees and Americans seems to be under way, and future possibilities of the mass infiltration are even more significant. The Castro-Communists are not only making common cause with non-Cubans but are actually enlisting them in fronts such as the various 26th of July organizations. Substantial numbers of Americans, Puerto Ricans, other Latins and even Spanish Republicans are swelling the ranks of the Castro organizations.

IF THE TREND CONTINUES, it is possible that the Castro-Communist fifth column in the United States will equal in numbers the official Communist Party, USA.

Is U. S. Gold Financing Cold War?

(Reprinted from COUNTER-ATTACK)

One of the most important phases of the Cold War and the one that is constantly overlooked by most Americans is the fact that we are engaged in an economic struggle with the forces of Communism. If our economy is weakened, our will to resist Communist aggression, subversion and infiltration is almost irretrievably damaged.

During the week ending December 15, 1961, the United States gold reserves decreased by $51,000,000 as reported by the Federal Reserve Bank. This decline dropped our gold stockpile to $16,925,000,000 which is the lowest figure since 1939. Our gold loss to date for the year 1961 exceeds $842,000,000. Three weeks ago the United States transferred $300,000,000 to Great Britain. This figure was the greatest one-week gold loss in the history of the United States or any other nation.

The time is rapidly approaching because of the decrease in our gold reserve and the continued imbalance of international payments, when the fiscal advisers of our government will absolutely have to curtail foreign aid to an amount that our economy can afford. Has our enormous generosity, at considerable financial sacrifice to the American taxpayer, really fostered the best interests of the United States? Perhaps we have built up both the economic and military strength of the neutrals, India and Indonesia, so that they can commit aggression against their neighbors with the blessings of Chairman Khrushchev in what he calls "Wars of Liberation."

"We are at war with the Communists and the sooner every red-blooded American realizes this the safer we will be!

"Recently, the Communist Party in the United States deliberately and flagrantly refused to comply with the U.S. Supreme Court decision which requires it to register as an agent of the Soviet Union. Thereby, it once again has formally declared itself to be a lawless organization."

- J. Edgar Hoover

Common Market Scheme Will Destroy U.S. National Sovereignty

By Florence Fowler Lyons

The Big Push to plunge the United States into common government, citizenship, flag, currency, foreign and economic policy, etc., with the members of the North Atlantic Treaty Organization (NATO) is now underway -- incredibly sooner than predicted here November 5, 1961.

If you don't fight back with a deluge of mail into Washington and the White House, within months you will be living under a new form of government, with the U. S. Constitution torn up forever, and Old Glory forever doomed to hang sadly under your new "flag"-- the NATO "banner" -- exactly as your State flag hangs forever under the American flag.

In other words, the United States is to become a mere "State" in a regional federation created out of the so-called "Atlantic community," the NATO "democracies." This is the political conspiracy against the continued national independence of the United States backed by "Federal Union, Inc." and its political-lobby arm, the "Atlantic Union Committee."

Kennedy sent a "message" to Paris on November 13th to the Seventh Conference of Parliament Members from 15 North Atlantic Treaty Organization countries, pledging the "best efforts" of the United States to help strengthen the Atlantic Alliance and make it a "community of nations, economically, politically and morally above and beyond fear of defeat or desire for conquest."

"The usefulness of the NATO alliance in the military sphere has been proved," Kennedy stated. "The wisdom of the NATO alliance as a political community has not yet reached its ultimate boundaries."

And God forbid it ever does! For the day the NATO "political community" becomes a reality--that day will mark the death of the Republic, and from then on, you and your children will live under a new form of government, one legally-based on the concept the rights of men are a gift of other men, not the Creator!

The "crisis" springboard being used to employ this method of total surrender of American national sovereignty -- our right to self-determination and self-rule -- is the phoney "economic" crisis being whipped up by the consolidation of the so-called "European Economic Market," and, of course, the carefully engineered and well-timed "disillusion" over the United Nations.

The November 9, 1961 issue of the Los Angeles Examiner unfolded a revealing sequence of events. Read first this propaganda for regional world government from "Federal Union, Inc." which was mailed out several years ago by the U. S. National Commission for UNesco:

"The Union (Atlantic) would provide effective common government among the democracies in the fields where common government will serve better than separate governments. A Union Executive, Legislature and Judiciary would be created to conduct foreign policy, provide a single currency, citizenship, and defense force and create a free trade area among the Members of the Union."

L. A. Examiner, page 6: "The Six nations of the European Common Market told England Wednesday that, if she joins their group, she must help with efforts to establish political as well as economic union."

Page 20, Kennedy's news conference warning if the U. S. is denied the European Common Market "trade" U. S. capital will flee to go within that wall, or "we will find ourselves in serious economic trouble."

Page 20 - "Lodge Named First Director of Atlantic Institute." This is Henry Cabot Lodge and the outfit is designed -- get this -- to "fight communism!" Lodge described the Institute as "an imaginative alliance of citizens of the North Atlantic Community which offers tremendous promise in achieving the intention and purposes of free men today and in the years to come." UNesco - Commissioner James B. Conant; Adlai Stevenson, Atlantic Union Committee member; William C. Foster, Chairman of American Committee on United Europe, and Lester Pearson, Canadian Atlantic Union advocate, will conduct the NATO political-union brainwash this "Institute" will soon unloose.

Page 23: "Dillon Urges Trade Bars Be Removed . . . said 'the President must be given broad powers to negotiate with the European Common Market to reduce tariffs...with their eventual elimination as our goal.' "

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LEFTWING EXTREMISTS TAKE OVER KEY POSTS

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It has been noted that President Kennedy in a recent Los Angeles speech poured a heavy attack upon "rightwing extremists" while giving little attention to the real major problems that face our country and the Kennedy Administration. It has been pointed out that the few right-wingers Mr. Kennedy attacked are not in power, but by contrast high echelons of the Kennedy Administration are literally packed with "leftwing extremists" who are in positions to exercise great power.

The Los Angeles Times has noted that the leftist organization called Americans for Democratic Action has suggested such things as aid to Red China, diplomatic recognition for Red China, admission of the Chinese Communists to the UN, ratification of the dangerous UN genocide convention, exclusion of Spain from the UN, support of the International Labor Organization, opposition to U.S. action against Castro, adoption of the Brannan farm plan, compulsory health insurance (socialized medicine), Federal price, wage and rent controls, repeal of the Taft-Hartley Act, compulsory union membership, giving the President power to change tax levies "to meet changing conditions," abolition of seniority rules in Congress and one-sided ending of nuclear bomb testing by the U.S.

And, the Los Angeles paper points out, the Kennedy Administration includes these members or former members of ADA who are currently powerful in making and executing policy:

Theodore C. Sorensen, special adviser to the President; Arthur S. Schlesinger Jr., administrative assistant to the President; Harrison L. Wooford, special assistant to the President on civil rights; Chester Bowles, recently shifted from Undersecretary of State to special adviser to the President on Asian, African and Latin American Affairs; Mrs. Katie Louchheim, who was Mr. Bowles' assistant in State; G. Mennen Williams, Assistant Secretary of State; Philip H. Coombs, Assistant Secretary of State; Jonathan B. Bingham, U.S. representative on the UN Trusteeship Council; J. Kenneth Galbraith, ambassador to India; James Loeb Jr., ambassador to Peru; Adlai Stevenson (not called an ADA member but mentioned by ADA World as a founder of the organization), U.S. ambassador to the UN; Arthur Goldberg, Secretary of Labor; Frank W. McCulloch, chairman of the NLRB; George L. P. Weaver, Assistant Secretary of Labor; Esther Peterson, Assistant Secretary of Labor; Charles Donahue, Labor Department solicitor; Abraham Ribicoff, Secretary of Health, Education and Welfare; Wilbur J. Cohen and Mrs. Jim G. Aken, congressional liaison officers for the Department of HEW; Orville Freeman, Secretary of Agriculture; Charles Murphy, Undersecretary of Agriculture; Robert G. Lewis, deputy administrator of price supports; John A. Baker, director of agricultural credit services; Henry H. Fowler, Undersecretary of the Treasury; Frederic C. Belen, Assistant Postmaster General; Charles H. Stoddard, director of Interior Department's review staff; Archibald Cox, Solicitor General of the United States; Williams Taylor, special assistant to the director of the Civil Rights Commission; Thomas K. Finletter, U.S. ambassador to NATO; Robert C. Weaver, housing and home finance administrator; Jack T. Conway, deputy housing and home finance administrator; Sidney H. Woolner, commissioner of community facilities; Howard Morgan, Federal Power Commissioner; Philip Elman, Federal Trade Commissioner; George Docking, director of the Export-Import Bank.

Americans need have little concern for rightists not in power, but should have great concern for leftists who are in power.

As a senator in 1958, John Kennedy said: "I'm not liberal at all. I never joined the Americans for Democratic Action. I'm not comfortable with those people."

It is too bad to see the President so "uncomfortable" in his own Administration today.

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Earl Browder Broached It First

News Item: " 'Alliance for Progress' program to Latin American countries to cost $20,000,000,000."

News Item: "Middle East and Africa receiving millions of dollars in American aid."

News Item: "Soapy Williams, Asst. Secretary of State, says American aid to Africa should be vastly increased and should be given not solely with the idea of preventing African countries from dealing with the Reds."

Earl Browder, then head of the American Communist Party, in a book published in 1944: "America can underwrite a gigantic program for the industrialization of Africa... It must institute a general and steady rise in the standard of life of the African peoples... Closely related socially, economically and politically with Africa are the Near Eastern countries...Here also a broad regional program of economic development is called for... What is clearly demanded by the situation is that the U.S. take the lead in proposing a common program of economic development of the Latin American countries."

(Reprinted from AMERICA'S FUTURE)

The Times Reports

"Today strategy and strategic concepts are probably being influenced more by the office of Paul H. Nitze, Assistant Secretary of Defense for International Security Affairs, and by the State Department, than by the Joint Chiefs of Staff. The Joint Chiefs are not normally being by-passed but they have certainly been down-graded. . . .More and more power is shifting to the super-agencies and to the civilian hierarchy in the Defense Department. And more changes are certain."

These aren't the words of Sen. Strom Thurmond or anyone else whom The New York Times normally would term a "rightwing extremist."

The comments on the growing power of the State Department and "super-agencies" were made by Hanson W. Baldwin, military editor of The New York Times.

If, as Secretary of Defense McNamara insists, military leaders are not to have anything to do with foreign affairs, how is it that State Department officials are calling the tune on military strategy? How is it that the Joint Chiefs of Staff, the President's military advisers according to duly-enacted law, are down-graded?

These are questions that Mr. McNamara should be called upon to answer.

The panacea which is being advertised today under the misleading name of 'Planning' is not a preparation for future events and contingencies. It is the abolition of all limitations on government power.

--Peter F. Drucker

GENERAL WALKER BLASTS INTERNATIONALISTS AT "WELCOME HOME" RALLY IN DALLAS

On December 12, former Major General Edwin A. Walker made his first public speech since resigning from the U. S. Army. Speaking at the Dallas Memorial Auditorium, General Walker addressed a wildly enthusiastic audience of more than 5,000, who interrupted his 90-minute speech 109 times with applause.

Below are excerpts from General Walker's speech:

Maj. Gen. Edwin A. Walker ascends stage at Dallas Memorial Auditorium, Dec. 12, for 90-minute address.

Gen. Walker's address is applauded by assembled audience of more than 5600 sponsored by "Welcome Home, General Walker" Committee

(Photos by Lee Arthur of Eddie Sparks Photos, Inc., Dallas)

The nation's press, radio and TV cover Walker's initial address as a civilian

"My only true purpose and objective...an everlasting America, with freedom for all."

Walker acknowledges acclamation of audience which interrupted his speech 109 times with applause.

****Tonight I stand alone before you as Edwin A. Walker. I have been charged with nothing. I have been found guilty of nothing. I have been punished for nothing. I have no grievances or regrets. Our hope is in the future, not in the past. It is in the attack not the defense. My symbol is the American Egale. I stand for freedom - for America - first, last, and always. I am a free man. I can neither be bought nor sold. I am proud to have served this nation in uniform and with its great soldiers. I am no longer a soldier. I am a civilian and proud to be "Mr." with all the freedom and rights of citizenship. In or out of uniform, the cause and responsibilities for our survival are the same. I welcome the opportunity to stand before you as a symbol of the capability to coordinate the inspired and unchallengeable power of the people with the strength of our military forces. Such unity of purpose and spirit would cause an immediate capitulation of reds and pinks from Dallas to Washington, Moscow to Peking.

The change in my position from officer to civilian may be unusual. I resigned, giving up all emoluments and benefits instead of retiring. This I did in order to be free and uncensored. It is my own making. I resigned after being assigned by the Army to Assistant Chief of Staff for Training and Operations in the U. S. Army Headquarters of the Pacific. This is a highly responsible and extensive training assignment over troops throughout the Pacific area. It could be no other than a recognition of my successful experience and capability in training....

MILITARY CENSORSHIP DISTORTS OATH OF OFFICE

I was not able to continue in the military service with a General's command responsibility since I could make no compromise with the oath of office after censorship had prevented me from giving my troops the training that I was responsible for.

Every officer in the military service and every governmental officer has taken an oath of office to bear true faith and allegiance to the Constitution of the United States against all enemies foreign and domestic. This oath has too often been altered in practice -- and distorted in meaning.

The oath is sworn to God. It is an individual covenant with God....

OATH TO DEFEND AMERICA -- NOT U.N.

Through sworn allegiance to the Constitution, we are sworn to be for America -- we are not sworn to any man. Our oath is made to God for America -- to defend her against all enemies. We have sworn no allegiance to any international body or organization and there is no allowance for any release of our sovereignty since the Constitution provides for none. Our oath applies to full sovereignty in America as provided in the Constitution. It provides for freedom of religion and worship. Today our relation and subordination to the United Nations puts every man signing the oath under a double standard. We are sworn to defend America but have to abide by UN decisions. Under these conditions, the oath becomes falsified and fictitious. I could no longer serve in uniform and be a collaborator with this release of our sovereignty to the UN.

FOURTH DIMENSIONAL WARFARE

I was sworn to defend this country against all enemies, foreign and domestic. To do this as a commander, requires under oath that I train every soldier to understand and oppose every enemy of America. I know our enemy. I know 3 dimensional warfare - land, sea and air. I also know 4th Dimensional Warfare and that through Gus Hall and thousands of others, the enemy has extended himself into our very midst with a capability to attack our soldiers and our cause from the rear.****

There is a continuous program every night from Moscow, in English, directed at our troops in Europe. The voice is called "Moscow Molly" by the troops. Her propaganda is immoral, unscrupulous, corrupt, and destructive. My responsibilities for training included offsetting this, the Overseas Weekly, and other harmful images of our country and way of life. This is fourth-dimensional warfare. We are at war, and all training must take this into account.

The Pro-Blue Program did take it into account. It was realistic combat in the fourth dimension, based on a cold-war directive of 1958. The program had been cleared by submission to higher headquarters in November, 1960. Instead of being cancelled, it should have been -- and still should be -- instituted throughout the services.****

INDIVIDUAL RESPONSIBILITY TO IDENTIFY UN-AMERICANISM

The power of the press (and other media) is thoroughly recognized in America today. The press is guaranteed its freedom. But it is our individual responsibility not to be victimized. We as individuals are also guaranteed freedom of thought and freedom of speech by the Constitution. Hence the responsibility rests with the individual to be knowledgeable, conditioned and alert to identify un-Americanism and possible infiltration of the press and other media, such as radio and television.

I have little doubt that a knowing public, having read Newsweek, Time, Life and Drew Pearson will see through their propaganda, and recognize their purpose. Our national security rests on your proper evaluation of the media. An improper evaluation becomes your responsibility and your deficiency in national defense. You owe it to your country to inform yourself. You need to evaluate the credibility of particular sources of news, such as Drew Pearson's column. You should know that the Congressional Record contains a list of 45 VIP's who impugned Pearson's veracity - including two Presidents. President Roosevelt said of Pearson, "The man is a chronic liar." President Truman said of one of Pearson's utterances, "It is a lie out of the whole cloth."****

FIFTEEN STEPS IN AMERICA'S RETREAT FROM VICTORY

The full force of censorship and propaganda in a combined operation began to be felt with the sell-out of our allies Poland and China in the war-time conferences at Tehran, Yalta, and Potsdam -- and is continuing today.

Fifteen decisions have cost us our sovereignty and our security. I speak of them in the order of their occurrence in the past 16 years:

(1) We allowed Soviet Russia 3 representatives in the United Nations to our one. On her record as an aggressor nation against Poland, Finland, and the Baltic States, she should not have been admitted to an organization of "peace-loving" nations at all.

(2) We accepted a division of Germany and of the City of Berlin which is haunting us today....

(3) We adopted an international approach toward control of atomic energy. Under the influence of propaganda, we began trying to share knowledge and materials from our atomic plants with Soviet Russia.

(4) We withheld atomic weapons from our own armed services. Secretary Forrestal in 1948 made a formal request to the White House for custody of the atomic bomb to be transferred from the civilian Atomic Energy Commission to the Department of Defense. President Truman ruled that custody of the militarys' most powerful weapon should remain with the civilian agency. To this day the military are censored in their control of the nuclear weapons they need in combat....

(5) We operated the Berlin airlift in 1948. This was hailed as a victory in the Cold War, but it was actually a defeat, since in taking to the air we submitted to Communist control of the ground. Today by allowing a wall to be built in Berlin, we have submitted to the Communist division of Germany....

(6) The recall of MacArthur from Korea is a historic example of muzzling the military. It was a bitter defeat for America. The command in Korea was not only muzzled but hogtied. I was in Korea. We were not permitted to attack with a battalion without clearance from Washington....

On a non-shooting day the enemy openly rebuilt his trenches, redisposed his troops, and moved closer to our position. This is coexistence on the battlefield, and censorship of victory. It is censorship and muzzling not just generals, but their guns. This censorship and muzzling was further implemented by 14 nations deciding for us and assuring for us that we would not bomb across the Yalu, even with conventional bombs....

(7) President Eisenhower met "at the Summit" with Khrushchev and Bulganin in 1955 -- a resumption of the fatal Tehran, Yalta, Potsdam, Panmunjom conference technique of coexistence, which has never been to our advantage. Coexistence is in effect collaboration with the enemy!

(8) We helped Nasser take the Suez Canal, humiliating the British and French, which pleased the Kremlin. In Korea in 1950-53, and at Suez in 1956, the only winner was Communism ....

(9) In 1957 the use of Federal troops in Arkansas was a Presidential decision. The military had no participation in the decision. The use of Federal troops without a request from a Governor is a violation of the guaranteed rights of a State under the U. S. Constitution. I was Commander of the Arkansas Military District long before the decision was reached. I was appointed Commander of all troops entering the State. This appointment to command was unavoidable in uniform, no matter how objectionable to me....

(10) Nuclear testing became a major issue in the Presidential election of 1956. Candidate Adlai Stevenson came out strongly for suspension of nuclear tests. President Eisenhower, running for re-election, strongly rejected this proposal of Stevenson's as dangerous to the nation's defense. Yet two years later he reversed himself and ordered the suspension of nuclear tests -- against the advice of both the military and the civilian Atomic Energy Commission....

(11) Of all our defeats in the Cold War, the capture of Cuba by the Communists is the most unacceptable. Any disagreement over external vs. internal danger should be resolved by the case of Cuba, which is external to the United States, but internal to the Monroe Doctrine. Super-patriots knew Castro was a Communist in 1957, but moderate patriots, such as in the State Department, haven't admitted it yet! They were told by Castro himself last week, so will have a difficult time continuing to use the term "Castro-ism"....

(12) Khrushchev's visit to this country in 1959 by invitation was a disgusting exhibition. As Stalin's Commissar in the Ukraine, Khrushchev buried alive and dead 12,000 people -- the entire City of Vinitia....

(13) After 16 years on the defensive, Cuba was and is our greatest opportunity to take the offensive. I endorse what Tom Anderson said: "In order to solve Berlin, we must take Havana."....

(14) The declaration of war in the Congo by the UN is the most devastating precedent in our history. It is the most flagrant refutation of our Constitutional Republic....

A battle line has only two sides, the Katangese are on the anti-Communist side of the line. The UN is on the other side of the line and fighting the anti-Communists. Tshombe, head of the Katanga state, has this very week announced with good reason that the United States is aiding Communism. American embassies and consulates have long been stoned by Communists. Now the U.S. consulate in Elizabethville is stoned by anti-Communists! Under censorship our policy seems to verge on insanity. No wonder Tshombe has now accused us of having Communists in our government. What other explanation is there? It is interesting to note that the richest uranium mine in the world is in Katanga. Uranium was also a prize in Czechoslovakia in World War II. General Patch was stopped while the Russians continued to advance and occupy the mines.

(15) The 15th decision is fundamental. It is the censorship of the military. To understand the importance of this, look at the matter from the point of view of the Communists.

NEUTRALIZATION OF U. S. MILITARY IS RED AIM

Would the Kremlin not see that the greatest obstacle in their way to world dictatorship was a large, well-armed, well-trained military establishment in the United States of America? Would not the top priority item on their agenda be the elimination or neutralization of that establishment? I am sure it would be. They would set out on all three of the following paths:

(a) to reduce the size of the U.S. armed forces to a point where they would be helpless to oppose the Red Armies of Russia and China;

(b) to disarm the U.S. military by limitations on their use of weapons -- by prohibition, if possible, of their use of their most powerful weapons, which are the nuclear or atomic weapons;

(c) to undermine the training of the soldier which develops not only the skills of fighting, but the most basic military factor of all, the morale, the determination, the sense of purpose. This indestructible will to win combined with the power of the people and their blessings from God is the source of all military success.

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SENATE COMMITTEE TO INVESTIGATE

I have reviewed for you 16 years and 15 policy decisions in America's Retreat from Victory. I am sure substantial evidence is available to conclude that our past experiences were very likely devised in intrigue and executed in collaboration -- which has been hidden by censorship.

Your investigation of censorship is your right - and the duty of your investigating committee in the Congress. The Senate Preparedness Subcommittee, headed by Senator John Stennis of Mississippi, has the assignment of investigating censorship of the military. It was given this assignment by a vote of 16 to 1 in the Armed Services Committee. Censorship in its broad and truest sense is responsible for the Retreat from Victory which I have described. It is such policy decisions as I have mentioned tonight, the intrigue back of them, and the open propaganda for them, that the Stennis Committee is charged to explore and expose.

OTHER MILITARY LEADERS SHOULD BE HEARD

I expect to appear. My responsibility to the Committee and their responsibility to you leads me to the identification of some others who should also be called -- soldiers who know from experience what the censorship of victory can do to national defense.

GENERAL DOUGLAS MacARTHUR'S recall from the Far East was a tragic turning point in our country's history -- an obvious censorship of the determination to win. The only consolation is that this truly great General did not have to sit at the conference table with bandits. His unparalleled knowledge could be of inestimable value to the Preparedness Subcommittee.

GENERAL MARK CLARK once told a Dallas audience that he was the only United States commander in history who had been compelled to capitulate on the battlefield. Investigation should find out whether the compulsion came from the enemy which he faced, or censorship....

ADMIRAL HUSBAND E. KIMMEL, Commander of the fleet at Pearl Harbor, was censored by being deprived of information that the Japanese would attack, which was available in Washington....

GENERAL C. A. WILLOUGHBY, MacArthur's Chief of Intelligence, once endured criticism from Washington for exposing the Communist spy, Agnes Smedley.

GENERAL KIRKE B. LAWTON was censored when he undertook to give constructive assistance to Senator Joseph R. McCarthy's investigation of Fort Monmouth, N.J., where evidences of subversion appeared....

CENSORSHIP PREVENTS U.S. VICTORY

Over-control of atomic weapons is censorship of military responsibility, plans, and preparedness. WE HAVE NEVER BEEN WITHOUT COMBINED PLANS, ARMY, NAVY AND AIR FORCE, THAT WOULD REDUCE RUSSIA TO WHERE SHE WOULD BE NO THREAT TO ANYONE! These plans have to provide for the use of atomic weapons, since the enemy has such weapons. Yet, the military has no assurance that these weapons can be used according to plan....

The subversion of U.S. interests is accomplished by a class of men who believe that in "One World" of "Peace" and "Internationalism", U.S. sovereignty and independence are obsolete, and that it is their duty through a "long twilight struggle" to see to it that the United States never makes any forthright assertion of its sovereignty and independence. Their motto has been expressed as "interdependence" and their slogan: "There is no longer any alternative to peace."

This obviously means the surrender of U.S. sovereignty and independence, and these men are prepared to pay this price. Because THEY KNOW that the majority of American citizens are NOT willing to pay this price, they believe that the true direction of national policy should be concealed from the mass of the American people.

INTERNATIONALISM WILL LEAD TO SURRENDER OF U.S. SOVEREIGNTY

Because this whole outlook is alien to the military mind as it has been trained in the U.S. -- as represented by the traditions of West Point and the other service academies -- the censors dislike and distrust the military mind and want to change it or get rid of it. Because the censors' outlook is also alien to the deepest beliefs of the American people, a bond of sympathy and common determination has developed between the military and the people at large.

The censors fear the development of this bond, and that is why the Fulbright Memorandum was written....

Fulbright has reason for fear, both for his class of men and for himself, since a more educated public still has access to the ballot box, through which they can attack and also with their Congress and the Stennis Committee.

INTERNATIONALISTS FEAR AMERICANISM

The Fulbright Memorandum suggests that the actual operation of troop education should be put into civilian hands. This is parallel to the Communist system of having political commissars with the troops****

I am a target of destruction. I have no fear and I give "no quarter". I have drawn the battle line which has only two sides. In drawing the line, I established my one and my only true purpose and objective -- that is, an ever-lasting America with freedom for all. I refuse to accept the 38th parallel or our present terms of surrender! I stand with Travis to die, for Sam Houston to conquer. I would betray the confidence reposed in me by the American people if I had not warned you of the menace of Communism and the peril facing this nation today. I therefore warn you now to beware of the enemy, foreign and domestic....

Our duty is obvious. It starts in the home, in the school, in the church, in business, in the ballot box, on the street, and in every public gathering. It is a crusade of all patriots for the truth. Our symbol is the American eagle devoid and unscathed by partisan politics. Super-patriots have led many squads and platoons. They have died in the assault. Fear and moderation have made followers and not leaders....

A true American fears God and nobody else.

"I am not ashamed of the gospel of Christ, for it is the power of God unto salvation to everyone that believeth."

"If God be for us who can be against us?"

Parallel Action

The Kennedy Administration is helping to support attacks on anti-communists in Katanga as well as directly attacking anti-communists at home.

WORDS TO REMEMBER

Orchids to the National Society of the Colonial Dames of America for their essay contest on "Patriotism Reappraised."

I was particularly attracted to the society's announcement by Point No. 6 in the rules. It says:

"Comment on: 'I was born an American; I will live an American; I shall die an American; and I intend to perform the duties incumbent upon me in that character to the end of my career'."

The words, of course, are Daniel Webster's, and were included in a speech he delivered on July 17, 1850.

LOOK WHERE CASTRO'S FRIEND RUBOTTOM IS NOW!

Appointment of Roy R. Rubottom Jr. to be a State Department adviser at the Naval War College is cause for national concern.

Mr. Rubottom, who has been ambassador to Argentina in recent months, was Assistant Secretary of State for Inter-American Affairs during the period when the State Department regarded Fidel Castro as the Robin Hood of the Caribbean.

Mistakes in judgment made by Mr. Rubottom and his associate, William Wieland, director of the department's Office of Caribbean Affairs, will cost the United States dearly for years, if not generations, to come.

To impose Mr. Rubottom on dedicated officers of the U.S. Navy, studying naval strategy at the War College in Newport, R.I., is an outrage. Officers who know the story of State Department mishandling of Fidel Castro will rightfully resent Mr. Rubottom's assignment as an "adviser."

For a naval officer, running a ship aground usually means the end of a career - at least the end of opportunity for advancement. But Mr. Rubottom ran the whole United States aground on the political shoals of Cuba - and he is rewarded with an ambassadorship and a chance to advise future leaders of the U. S. Navy.

Not only did Mr. Rubottom make grave miscalculations which should disqualify him from advising anyone on foreign affairs, but a cloud hangs over all persons associated with U.S. policy toward Castro's revolution.

The full facts concerning the State Department's Cuban policy are still to be made public. We have not forgotten that the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee called William Wieland to testify. The testimony offered by Mr. Wieland, which may well involve Mr. Rubottom-who was responsible for the whole area of Inter-American Affairs - has never been published. Somebody in Washington is sitting on testimony that could be explosive in American public life.

The News and Courier urges Sen. Olin D. Johnston, a member of the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee, to push for release of Wieland's testimony. As a ranking member of that subcommittee, his demand for publication should carry weight. We want it understood that we urge this action on Sen. Johnston's part, not out of any desire to see any party or faction make political gain. Our concern here is with the nation and with naval officers who must submit to the advice of Roy Rubottom.

Good Americans, in both parties, should be equally concerned regarding what Sen. Strom Thurmond has referred to as the danger of "political commissars" being assigned to guide and direct loyal soldiers, sailors and airmen of the United States.

Placing of Roy Rubottom in the Naval War College as a State Department adviser makes this danger a live issue. It should engage the attention of all citizens opposed to infiltrating the armed forces with appeasers.

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INVESTIGATE THE STATE DEPARTMENT

The recent death of Scott McLeod, former State Department security chief and ambassador to Ireland, was a severe blow to the American cause. For years McLeod, a former police reporter and FBI agent, stood out in the State Department like a beacon light, not only by comparison with the likes of John Stewart Service, John Carter Vincent, Julian Friedman, Maurice Halperin, Harold Glasser, Henry Collins, Jr., Roy Rubottom, Jr. and William Wieland, but because he was a tireless fighter for cleaning out that department.

Because of his outspokenness about subversion in the government in the early 1950s (McLeod publicly denounced the Truman administration for being soft-on-communism), and because of his war against Socialists in policy-making positions of the State Department (in a letter to Norman Thomas, McLeod said he would try to oust any such officials), he was despised by a large number of Senate liberals, who later tried to block his appointment as ambassador to Ireland.

Scott McLeod's death is ironic in that it occurred just after the Arizona Department of the American Legion demanded a complete and bi-partisan investigation of the State Department. Legion delegates spoke of the numerous instances of sabotage, t r e a s o n, subversion and perversion within the department, and no man fought those pernicious influences any more resolutely than Scott McLeod. That he was unable to root out all of them was the fault of the tremendous forces that were aligned against him.

We believe an investigation of the State Department would be in order. Not a scatter-gun attack which will resurrect charges of "witch hunting" or "character assassination," nor an investigation that will damage the morale of the competent and dedicated men—of whom there are many—within the department. What is needed is a thorough investigation, undertaken by calm and competent professionals. It is unnecessary to raise the charge of Reds-in-government in order to support such an investigation. It is necessary only to point out that time and again, for whatever reason, persons or groups in the State Department have been guilty of incompetence at best and treason at worst, in situations ranging from the misinformation about Mao Tse-tung's "agrarian reformers" to misinformation about Fidel Castro's "agrarian reformers."

We believe, therefore, the government owes it to all Americans to discover why we have staggered from blunder to blunder, from defeat to defeat, and find who is responsible. Only in that way can the State Department regain the respect and support of the American nation.

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Socialism and Tariff Plans

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Concealed within President Kennedy's proposal to scrap the reciprocal trade program which has been one of the Democratic Party's proclaimed "economic achievements" since it was passed by a Roosevelt Congress in the early 1930s, is obvious opportunity to push more of the Party's Washington socialism and Welfare Statism into American business and industry — with American labor perhaps suffering especially in the end.

The President told the National Association of Manufacturers that the reciprocal trade agreements should not be amended but completely scrapped and replaced.

Obviously, this means replaced with socialistic theories of his college professor advisers—such as Arthur Schlesinger, Jr., who has stated that the strongest weapon against Communism is the Welfare State, and Professor Kenneth Galbraith, who goes all the way down the line in some phases of economic socialism in his book, *The Affluent Society*.

What the President clearly intends to do, if his overwhelmingly Democratic Congress will go along, is to smash tariff barriers so as to permit a greater inflow of cheaply produced foreign goods. The result will mean that American manufacturing business, particularly the smaller type, often may not be able to meet American wage standards, which created the present American standards of living for labor and all others, and compete with foreign goods. That means going out of business or—

To meet this "or," Mr. Kennedy plans to have federal subsidies for *some* businesses.

In other words, those the Democratic administration wants to get rid of could be left to go to the wall.

Those the Democratic administration has some reason to want to keep in existence could be given federal subsidies.

Big industry will be caught in a vise in which eventual federal socialization will become the only "out." If production is socialized or placed under a complete federal blackjack, what else can happen to labor and its wage scales?

President Kennedy also says that it may be necessary to replace existing manufacturing plants. Apparently this means to close down a plant in one place and build a new one somewhere else, transporting the workers to the new plant. But who is going to build the new plant? Why, the federal government, of course! Just how far into complete socialization of business or industry can we go without admitting it is socialism?

So far as the present reciprocal trade system is concerned, it has had its values and has caused troubles. It was conceived chiefly by Secretary of State Cordell Hull under Franklin D. Roosevelt in the early 1930s and put into effect by Mr. Roosevelt's New Deal Congress. Democratic Congresses —which have existed ever since except for the brief first years of Eisenhower and a Republican House for one session of Mr. Truman's term—have renewed the program whenever it expired.

However, under Republican pressure and with occasional Democratic assistance, there have been revisions from time to time which seemed to improve the system generally.

There is no question that economic conditions and problems throughout the world have changed tremendously since the reciprocal agreements plan first was initiated; but the reciprocal agreements also have changed. The contention by some that the states of the United States are in themselves an outstanding example of the "common market" theory because they have existed through the decades without tariff barriers against each other (except occasionally through special taxes) is not as solid as it sounds. The American states have so existed because actually, from the standpoint of complete economic protection, they are one nation surrounded as a whole by protective tariff walls through most of their existence.

If some kind of agreements satisfactory to everybody could be worked out between the United States and European nations going into the Common Market there, a certain amount of mutual benefit necessarily would result. It would, in theory at least, open trade doors for American business and industry to some 500,000,000 people. It would also open new trade doors from the overseas nations into the United States with unquestionable harm to many American manufacturing concerns. But the greatest minds of the nation since virtually the days of its formation have been trying to find some way to set up trade plans that would be agreeable to anybody and the usual result is a trade plan that is agreeable to nobody.

The British, today, finally succumbing to the European Common Market still can't work out anything really acceptable between themselves and areas separated only by a few miles of water which human beings swim regularly. Yet Mr. Kennedy is talking about many nations of various continents being able to work out problems with each other which baffle close neighbors.

Reciprocal tariffs and common markets are not in themselves socialism. But when the people choose socialists to operate economic plans, socialism has to be near at hand.

(Editor's note: If you wish to preserve American industry and protect the jobs of American workingmen from the onslaught of cheap-made foreign goods, write your Congressman and your two Senators today to vote against the Reciprocal Trade program when it comes up for renewal in the 1962 session of Congress.)

What Every Taxpayer Should Know

It is indeed fortunate that Congress does not permit President Kennedy to "gag" witnesses before congressional committees. Otherwise we would not have had the very revealing testimony given recently before the Senate Internal Security subcommittee by Philip H. Trezise, acting assistant secretary of state for economic affairs, and Jack H. Behrman, a deputy assistant secretary.

Between the two of them—Trezise and Behrman — quite unintentionally we're sure—cut the ground out from under the administration's position on aid for Yugoslavia, Poland and other Communist countries. Nearly all of the familiar rationalizations fell by the wayside.

From their testimony these facts stand forth: The United States has no way of knowing whether exports to Yugoslavia and Poland are being reexported to Soviet Russia.

U. S. ambassadors in Communist countries have only the "oral assurance" of Communist officials that foreign aid is not reexported.

The list of prohibited exports of strategic materials is largely window dressing. It is possible for U. S. firms to get export licenses simply by showing that there are other available sources of supply for the same or similar materials.

Although procedures for handling export applications have been tightened since the Berlin crisis, there is no way of determining to what extent subsidiaries of U. S. firms abroad might be shipping equipment and materials to Soviet bloc nations that could not be shipped directly from the United States.

The so-called "understanding" between the U. S. and these Communist governments prohibiting reexportation to the Soviet Union has not been put into the form of a written agreement because the Communist governments are "sensitive" about this matter and "do not consider this a proper subject for a political agreement."

U. S. exports to the Soviet bloc for 1960 total $193,377,000—of which $143,000,000 went to Communist Poland and $38,368,000 to the Soviet Union. By not listing Communist Yugoslavia as part of the Soviet bloc the Commerce Department neglects to include in the total Soviet bloc figures the $35,850,000 sent to Tito's government.

In September and October, 1961, the following items were among those for which licenses were issued for export to the Soviet Union, Poland, Yugoslavia and several Soviet satellite countries: Synthetic rubber, electronic computers, Diesel locomotive cranes, electrolytic copper, copper scrap, and iron and steel scrap.

THIS DAMNING INDICTMENT OF THE POLICY OF AIDING OUR COMMUNIST ENEMIES, FOR THE ALLEGED PURPOSE OF WINNING THEM AWAY FROM THEIR GOALS, IS NOT SIMPLY AN EXPRESSION OF OUR OWN EDITORIAL OPINION. FOR THESE FACTS AND FIGURES HAVE BEEN PROVIDED BY TOP OFFICIALS OF THE KENNEDY ADMINISTRATION ITSELF!

As you can see, there is a vast difference between the unctuous, public relations-minded defense of this policy by administration officials and the testimony that results when they are placed under oath before a congressional committee.

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How Do You Like It?

Rep. H. R. Gross, R-Iowa, calls attention to a new "loan" program announced by Treasury Secretary Douglas Dillon which should prove interesting indeed to the millions of Americans who have borrowed money at regular bank rates, repaying principal and interest at regular intervals.

These are the terms of the Dillon program: No payment at all on the principal during the first 10 years, a one per cent payment on principal during the second 10 years and a three per cent payment on principal during the next 30 years. Not a single cent of interest is charged during the entire 50-year period!

There's just one hitch: *Mr. Dillon's program doesn't let Americans borrow money on these terms. It forces American taxpayers to lend money on these terms to foreign countries.*

"How do you like it?" asks Rep. Gross. "I don't, and I voted against the bill".

Today's Quote

Sen. J. Strom Thurmond (D-S.C.) on what the United States should tell Cuba's Fidel Castro:

"Cut loose from communism or we'll come down and cut you loose."

Anthony Harrigan

Gen. Salan Leads French Right Wing Revolt

IN OBTAINING an exclusive interview with Gen. Raoul Salan, leader of the Secret Army Organization in Algeria—a man under death sentence in France—Richard Kallsen of the Columbia Broadcasting System scored one of the real reportorial triumphs of the year.

THE GENERAL, one of the most decorated officers in the French army, has been the object of an intensive manhunt. Because of his part in the abortive uprising against the De Gaulle government, Gen. Salan's capture has been of first priority for the Paris government.

The ability of Gen. Salan, spokesman for rightwingers and French settlers in Algeria, to present his views direct to an American audience is an immense propaganda success for his side. At the same time, it is a blow to the De Gaulle government.

GEN. SALAN was interviewed by Mr. Kallsen only a few miles from Algiers, the capital city. Salan told the TV and radio audience that he had been stopped by French security troops on many occasions and that 'they did not lay a hand on me."

In other words, Gen. Salan was able to demonstrate that he can range throughout Algeria — a territory under De Gaulle's nominal control—almost at will. This indicates, as he said, that he and the OAS have broad public support in Algeria.

AMERICANS should learn more

GEN. RAOUL SALAN

Leader of the French counter - revolutionaries.

about Gen. Salan and his associates, for they may be in control in Paris next year. Listening to Gen. Salan vow that Algeria will not become another communist-controlled Indo-China, Americans could discover something of the stern, unyielding temper of the counter-revolutionary forces now building up in the Western world.

AMERICANS have heard a lot about revolutionary forces in the world today. They are familiar with communist revolutions and with the paracommunist revolutions that are convulsing Africa and Latin America. But few people realize that a counter-revolutionary temper is manifesting itself in the Western countries. Gen. Salan and the French soldiers who spent long, bitter years fighting communism in Indo China and Algeria, only to be stabbed in the back by leftist politicians in Paris, are planning a counter-strike. They see the issues of our time as life and death issues for the West.

In all Western countries there is growing awareness of the need for counter - revolution against communism. In France, because of her desperate situation in Algeria, the awareness has been translated into a disciplined movement, the Secret Army Organization.

Basing its action on Mao Tse-Tung's statement that the "gun is the ultimate political weapon," the OAS is fighting back against the armed revolutionaries in Algeria. The OAS realizes that the future of France is likely to be determined, not in parliamentary debate, but in armed clashes in French towns and cities — clashes between the Reds, who still possess stocks of arms left over from World War II and anti-communists of the OAS.

When revolution takes the form of street fighting, as communism preaches, the Salans of France intend to launch a counter-revolution to prevent their country from becoming a Red satellite on the Atlantic.

Webster's Antidote

WEBSTER'S ANTIDOTE

In light of Khruschev's statement that Communism will bury us, it is well to remember Daniel Webster's warning. Webster said: "If we abide by the principles taught in the Bible, our country will go on prospering, but if we and our posterity neglect its instruction and authority, no man can tell how sudden a catastrophe may overwhelm us and bury us and our glory in profound obscurity."

THE LEGITIMATE MAFIA

By Edith Kermit Roosevelt

There is an Establishment in the United States. The word "Establishment" is a general term for the power elite in international finance, business, the professions and government, largely from the northeast, who wield most of the power regardless of who is in the White House.

Most people are unaware of the existence of this "legitimate Mafia." Yet the power of the Establishment makes itself felt from the professor who seeks a foundation grant, to the candidate for a cabinet post or State Department job. It affects the nation's policies in almost every area.

For example, the Council on Foreign Relations in New York City, subsidized by the Rockefeller interests since 1927 boasts a membership of at least 90 per cent Establishment figures.

The relationship of the Rockefeller-CFR complex to the Establishment is admitted by Establishment boosters "in the know."

For instance, Richard Rovere writes in the American Scholar, Establishment organ for intellectuals:

"The directors of the Council on Foreign Relations make up a sort of Presidium for that part of the Establishment that seeks to control our destiny as a nation."

John Kenneth Galbraith once described "the perfect Establishment figure" as a man who holds down jobs in both Republican and Democratic administrations. He cited as a pivotal figure Secretary of the Treasury C. Douglas Dillon, who served as Undersecretary of State for Economic Affairs in the Eisenhower administration.

An investment banker and a member of the Council on Foreign Relations, Dillon came to government service from Dillon, Read & Co.

Another major administration figure is Disarmament Administrator John J. McCloy, former president of the World Bank, former chairman of the board of the Chase Manhattan Bank, former high commissioner in Germany, chairman of the Board of Trustees of the Ford Foundation and chairman of the Board of the Council on Foreign Relations.

Secretary of State Dean Rusk, former president of the Rockefeller Foundation, CFR member, is another Establishment man.

Other CFR-Establishment figures include Adlai Stevenson, ambassador to the United Nations; Luther Hodges, secretary of commerce and former director of the Ford Foundation; Daniel Bell, director of the Budget; Arthur Goldberg, secretary of Labor, Robert S. McNamara, secretary of defense and former president of the Ford Motor Co., and W. Averill Harriman, President Kennedy's ambassador-at-large.

The Soviet Union understands the workings of this country's power structure. When Nikita Khrushchev remarked to Walter Lippmann last spring that President Kennedy was controlled by Nelson Rockefeller, most people assumed he was echoing the old-fashion Marxist line against capitalism. Actually, Khrushchev was aware of the enormous power wielded by the giant, tax-free foundations which support research and graduate study and train and funnel men into key spots in government.

It was not as a Standard Oil heir, but as an Establishment heir, a man of "World Good Will," that Nelson Rockefeller forced the Republicans to rewrite their platform. Thus the Republican platform was in effect a carbon copy of the Democratic platform drawn up by Chester Bowles, CFR member and former trustee of the Rockefeller Foundation.

And where did the ideas for both platforms originate? Through studies made by the Rockefeller Panel for the Rockefeller Brothers Fund.

What are the Establishment organs? The New York Times and Newsweek, now that its control has passed to Philip Graham, publisher of the Washington Post. Foreign Affairs might be called the Establishment's house organ.

What is the Establishment's viewpoint? Through the Roosevelt, Truman, Eisenhower and Kennedy administrations its ideology is constant: That the best way to fight communism is by a One World socialist state governed by "experts" like themselves. The result has been policies which favor the growth of the superstate, gradual surrender of U.S. sovereignty to the United Nations and a steady retreat in the face of Communist aggression.

There is, of course, an Anti-Establishment opposition. It is made up chiefly of conservative Southerners and Westerners. It finds expression in Congress by such persons as Sen. John Tower (R-Tex.), Sen. Strom Thurmond (D-S.C.) and Rep. John F. Rousselot (R-Calif.)

There is also a growing number of dissidents on our college campuses where youth is ever in revolt against the Establishment.

To start any genuine counter revolution against the legitimate Mafia detailed intelligence is needed on the financial and ideological ramifications of the Establishment. This is just a beginning!

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THE PLAN TO FEED THE ENEMY

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Disturbing reports keep cropping up that the United States government may sell as much as six million tons of wheat and barley to Red China and Albania, plus about a half million tons to Soviet Russia.

Columnists Robert S. Allen and Paul Scott report that President Kennedy, faced with a restriction adopted by the last Congress which would bar such a sale, has personally instructed the National Security Council to find out if there is some way we can sell the grain without stirring up a hornet's nest.

Under this law, which was specifically adopted to bar such grain sales and thus bail starving Communist nations out of trouble, the President must declare such nations as "friendly" before surplus agricultural products can be shipped.

The President, stretching things a bit, did so stamp Yugoslavia and Poland. So far as Russia and China are concerned, it appears that the President is reluctant to so label them, but has indicated that he would allow the sale if any loophole could be found in the present law.

Certainly some Americans would find it difficult to understand why they should give up some $50 billion next year for defense purposes -- defense against Russia and China -- if they are "friendly" nations. To compound the contradictions of the scheme, they want to make the purchase on credit, China is already having trouble paying for the Canadian wheat purchased last year.

We are a civilized nation and millions of Americans are therefore strongly imbued with the spirit of charity. It is a noble spirit, and not one to be abandoned. Out of this spirit can come moving visions of starving persons, especially in over-populated China. Next comes the realization of abundance, of vast over-production in the United States.

Yet the rulers of the countries which would receive the American wheat are men sworn to take over or destroy the nations of the Free World, the United States in particular. . . .

Reason, therefore, dictates that we should not provide the sustenance which possibly would strengthen the Communist effort against us. In the long run, it might not even be charitable -- to freedom.

The law enacted by the Congress to prevent the very thing now said to be under consideration is crystal clear in its prohibition.

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HOW THEY REPAY OUR FOREIGN AID

By Fulton Lewis, Jr.

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Washington, Dec. 24 - - Ambassador Alex Kuaison-Sackey of the Republic of Ghana rose in the United Nations General Assembly to vote "aye" on a Soviet resolution to seat the government of Communist China.

On Saturday, December 16, State Department spokesmen announced that Ghana would receive grants of $133 million for a grandiose power project on the Volta River. All of which is puzzling to the ambassador of a staunchly anti-communist ally, who told an American diplomat:

"We cannot understand why your government rewards those who do not help you. It is for certain the Soviets do not act as you do. Perhaps that is why they are winning."

A quick glance at the UN tally sheet will show 37 nations who voted against the U.S. in favor of recognition for the regime of Mao Tse-tung. Of these all but two -- Bulgaria and Rumania -- have been the recipients of U.S. foreign aid.

Three U.N. members that voted "aye" are not considered nations by this country. But all three -- Mongolia, Byelorussia and the Ukraine -- have shared in aid to the Soviet Union, which totals $419 million.

One nation that voted against the U.S. on Red China was Poland, which received credits of $45 million on the day of balloting. U.S. authorities had previously dispatched $514.5 million to Poland in the vain hope that it could be weaned from Soviet Russia.

Another nation to vote for Red China recognition was Communist Yugoslavia, whose Marxist Dictator, Josef Broz Tito, now receives American military supplies. Total aid to Tito comes to more than $2.2 billion.

The neutralist government of Indonesia has received $583.5 million in U.S. aid, much of it in the form of military hardware used to put down an anti-Communist rebellion. Acting on the orders of President Sukarno (twice a White House guest of President Kennedy) Indonesia's U.N. ambassador voted for the admission of Red China to the world body.

The government of India's Prime Minister Jawaharlal Nehru went down the line for Red China. On his recent trip to this country Nehru was promised increased American aid by President Kennedy. The balance sheet shows more than $3 billion has been dispatched to date.

The nations of Scandinavia -- members of the Western family -- have all received aid in large amounts from the U.S. Denmark ($856.9 million), Norway ($1 billion) and Sweden ($108.9 million) all voted in favor of the Russian resolution.

Also deserting the Western alliance was Great Britain, which has received more American aid than any other nation with the exception of France. More than $8.6 billion could not persuade Britain to line up with her NATO allies.

Following is a list of nations who voted to seat Red China, and the U.S. aid, in millions of dollars, they have received as of June 30, 1961:

Afghanistan	182.9	Iraq	67.
Albania	20.	Mali	2.5
Britain	8,685.6	Morocco	307.7
Burma	94.5	Nepal	43.5
Cambodia	298.1	Norway	1,082.
Ceylon	74.9	Pakistan	1,430.9
Cuba	52.	Poland	514.5
Czechoslovakia	191.	Sierra Leone	1.
Denmark	856.9	Somali	13.3
Ethiopia	181.3	Soviet Union	419.
Finland	87.	Sudan	53.5
Ghana	6.6	Sweden	108.9
Guinea	3.8	Syria	45.
Hungary	27.	United Arab Republic	438.8
India	3,071.9	Yemen	17.
Indonesia	583.5	Yugoslavia	2,280.3

U.N. DUPES U.S. INTO FIGHTING ANTI-COMMUNIST KATANGA

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With the Cuban fiasco burning fresh in memory, with Laos gone and Viet Nam going, with the Berlin crisis emphasizing a gigantic failure of diplomacy, the United States today is committed to the support of Communist-aiding aggression in Africa that might be more disastrous than all those other sad events combined.

If the Communists can effectively gain control of a major portion of central Africa, if they can deeply infiltrate a Congo government that is dominant over all the Congo area, then Communism will have a base from which to communize all of Africa in what might be the key to the entire world struggle between Red slavery and freedom.

At this moment, there is only one major stumbling block in the Communists' way. It is the independent province of Katanga, led by President Moise Tshombe, who has support from Belgium, Britain and France.

Opposing Tshombe and anti-Communist Katanga is the central Congo regime, which is not really a government at all, but is headed by Premier Cyrille Adoula, and which includes Vice Premier Antoine Gizenga, a Prague-trained Communist supported by Russia; Interior Minister Christophe Gbenye, another Prague-trained Communist who exercises full police powers; Justice Minister Remy Mwamba, a supporter of Red Gizenga; Foreign Commerce Minister Marcel Bisukiro, a pro-Communist; Minister of Middle Classes Joseph Lutula, a pro-Communist; and pro-Communist Egide Bochely-Davidson, who has been picked to rule Katanga if the Communist-loaded Congo regime is able to take it over.

The only reason the Red-filled Congo group thinks it may successfully take over Katanga is that the UN has sent an army of aggression to defeat Katanga. And the only reason the UN army thinks it might win is that the Kennedy Administration is supporting it with U. S. military aircraft and paying most of the costs of the aggression.

That the Communists expect to win with the UN and the U.S. doing dirty work for them that they could not successfully do for themselves is indicated by the fact that Red diplomatic groups which had been run out of the Congo are now coming back. Premier Adoula has restored diplomatic relations with three Soviet bloc puppets - Russia itself, Communist Czechoslovakia and Communist Poland - and has accepted the diplomatic credentials of their representatives, whose chief purpose is subversion and infiltration for the eventual rule of the Congo.

That Russia expects this to be a big and important job is indicated by the fact that for its embassy, Russia has taken over a 10-story building and plans to bring in 250 "staff members."

The preparation of the Congo for Red domination is being perpetrated by the United States in support of a myth. This myth is a "unified Congo." There has never been one. The Congo is not a nation, but an area, composed largely of the watershed of the Congo River. It attracted the attention of white colonists only after our War Between the States. The Congo natives were so backward they had no system of writing and did not even know the use of the wheel. Belgium took over administration of the Congo as the colonial powers divided Africa rather than fight over it. The Congo is peopled by varied tribes of different languages. Unlike some other African areas, Congo has no unified "nationalist" movement because of its people's great differences.

Yet the United States has thrown morality out the window to support immoral force and aggression to "unify the Congo" and deny Katanga self-determination and independence. This is turning anti-Communist, economically effective, stable friends into enemies and victims of our aggression in behalf of our pro-Communist enemies.

If the Kennedy Administration-UN policies succeed in crushing Katanga and strengthening the Communist influences, the cost to freedom may be far greater than the debacles in Cuba, Laos, Viet Nam and Berlin - where the cost has been tragically great.

DAY OF INFAMY

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December 7, 1941, was a day of infamy.

It was the day that 432 Japanese planes flying from six aircraft carriers covered by 27 other Japanese warships swept in over Pearl Harbor for a two-hour attack that sank 18 ships of the American fleet, killed 2,403 Americans and put this nation into World War II.

Dec. 7 was called a day of infamy because of the "surprise" attack by Japan. But Americans should know that the attack did not have to be a surprise to the helpless American victims. Americans shoulo know that our being surprised at Pearl Harbor was the fault of our very highest officials in Washington, with ultimate responsibility belonging to President Franklin D. Roosevelt.

The Secretary of State at that time was Cordell Hull of Tennessee. He was charged by the President with the responsibility of handing to the Japanese ambassadors in Washington on Nov. 26, 1941, a message which Mr. Hull himself considered an ultimatum that meant war. The Secretary of War at the time was Henry L. Stimson, who described the situation in his diary entry for Nov. 25, 1941:

"Mr. Hull said that the Japanese were poised for the attack -- that they might attack at any time. The President said that the Japanese were notorious for making an attack without warning and stated that we might be attacked -- say, next Monday, for example.

"One problem troubled us very much. If you know your enemy is going to strike you, it is usually unwise to wait until he gets the jump on you by taking the initiative. In spite of the risk involved, however, in letting the Japanese fire the first shot, we realized that in order to have the full support of the American people, it was desirable to make sure that the Japanese be the ones to do this so that there should remain no doubt in anyone's mind as to who was the aggressor...

"The question was how we could maneuver the Japanese into the position of firing the first shot without allowing too much danger to ourselves."

So President Franklin D. Roosevelt and those he took into his confidence in the grave days before Pearl Harbor knew the danger, knew attack was coming. The United States had broken a Japanese code that gave us valuable information from incoming Japanese messages. It was known, even, that Japanese spies in Honolulu, who previously had been asked only the number and identity of ships at Pearl Harbor had now been asked to describe the harbor, thus pinpointing specific targets.

Then on Saturday afternoon, Dec. 6, 1941, the Japanese embassy in Washington began receiving a 14-part message from Tokyo. Americans monitored the message and immediately transcribed it from the Japanese code into English, so its text was known. Thirteen parts of the 14-section message came through and were distributed to American officials by 9 P.M. Saturday, Dec. 6 -- and the message made clear the 14th part would not be sent from Tokyo until the morning of Sunday, Dec. 7, and that it was not to be delivered to the United States by the Japanese ambassadors until 1 P.M. Washington time (7 A.M. Pearl Harbor time). Here was implied warning of the actual time of the attack!

Yet on the morning of Dec. 7, Gen. George Marshall, Chief of Staff of the U.S. Army, did not arrive at his office until 11 A.M. Washington time. When questioned later by a Congressional investigating committee, Gen. Marshall said he didn't know where he was that morning, it later being established he was horseback riding in Virginia.

But by that time, more than two hours before the attack, the 14th part of the Japanese message had come in. There was still time to warn Pearl Harbor!

Gen. Marshall recognized the need for a warning, for he sent one. But he did not pick up the easily available telephone for an immediate warning even at that late hour. He did not use other facilities available to the military.

He sent the warning message by regular commercial telegraph!

When the "warning" telegram was finally delivered, the Japanese already had delivered their bombs, and Pearl Harbor, its ships and men were destroyed and America was at war, having suffered a blow requiring years for recovery.

Pearl Harbor was a surprise attack. But though the American public was surprised, as were the military authorities at Pearl Harbor who were denied information from their superiors in Washington, the top officials of our government were not surprised.

They had clear warning but kept it to themselves.

They had succeeded in doing what Secretary of War Stimson had suggested in writing: "The question was how we could maneuver the Japanese into the position of firing the first shot..." But President Roosevelt and his advisers were not able to meet the second part of Mr. Stimson's diary provision: "without allowing too much danger to ourselves."

The Day of Infamy saw America attacked by a dangerous enemy, and saw America failed by a President and those who conspired with him in Washington, keeping secret from the men at Pearl Harbor and from the American people warning that the attack was coming.

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F.B.I. WARNING ON CUBA NOT HEEDED

By Mary Helen Brengel

The FBI over the years has attempted to expose and punish American agents for Russia, but its warnings have been repeatedly ignored. Instead the FBI has been restricted to collecting evidence, and has been forbidden even to recommend prosecution. Many of the reports on spying and subversion submitted by the FBI since it was entrusted in 1938 with the responsibility for guarding national security, are yellowing in the files.

A recent series of articles by Willard Edwards of the CHICAGO TRIBUNE Press Service deals in part with the testimony of Robert C. Hill, former ambassador to Mexico, before the Senate Internal Security Subcommittee.

Hill, who had long and unsuccessfully attempted to convince the State department that Castro was a Communist, named William Wieland, the department's chief of Caribbean affairs, as his main opponent.

Hill stated that we worked very closely with representatives of the FBI in Mexico, who were in contact with FBI representatives in Cuba. Hill was told by them that they were concerned about Castro and Cuba, but that it was their understanding their reports had not reached the upper echelon of the department of State. These reports were, according to Hill, "side-tracked down at the desk level" where two officers served under Wieland.

Hill stated that the lack of intelligence information by individual officers responsible for our Cuban relations when, in fact, such information had been furnished in reports by the FBI and other agencies, "has the seeds of a Latin American loss akin to Pearl Harbor."

And -- William Wieland -- whom Robert C. Hill named as his main opponent in his attempts to convince the State Department that Castro was a Communist - is still in the State Department!

Protest UN Agression

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As we write these lines, concerned citizens across the country are waiting for the latest news from Katanga and Washington - waiting and hoping that the Katanga freedom fighters will stand firm and that President Kennedy will stop supporting United Nations invasion of anti-communist territory.

By the time this editorial appears in print, the President may have arranged a cease-fire that protects Katanga from further invasion. That is the hope of Americans who learned of the assault on Katanga with amazement and shame.

Mr. Kennedy's decision to support the rape of Katanga was an act wholly out of character with the American way. It was a political disaster of the first magnitude. Only the communists stand to gain from crushing Katanga.

Detailed analysis of that dreadful decision we leave for another day, hoping that Congress will then investigate the State Department's incredible advice to Mr. Kennedy.

Right now, South Carolinians should let their voices be heard. They should demand that attacks on anti-communist Katanga cease and not be resumed.

Now is a time for Americans to stand up. If anti-communism is defeated in Katanga, the United States is the real loser.

Fortunately, outspoken patriots are taking a stand. Sen. Strom Thurmond wired the President that he is utterly opposed to the attack. Sen Everett Dirksen of Illinois, Republican minority leader in the Senate, also declared support for the Katanga freedom fighters. Sen. James O. Eastland (D-Miss) charged that the State Department is backing "murder and slaughter" in the Congo to "feed the bullying ego of a faltering international organization."

Influential newspapers, including The Chicago Daily News, The Wall Street Journal and The Indianapolis News, have spoken out against the invasion.

If Katanga is crushed as a result of U.S. aid, the State Department will have won another victory over the American people. It will be as large as the victory the State Department won over the American people in bringing Fidel Castro to power in Cubu.

The only possible way to halt the State Department's scheme in Katanga is for a storm of opposition to rise from the grassroots of America. This means that the people must speak.

The News and Courier urges its readers to write to the President, or to ask their senators and representatives to inform the White House of patriotic opposition to betrayal of U.S. interests in Katanga.

KENNEDY TO ATTEMPT POWER GRAB OF CITIES

(Reprinted from San Diego EVENING TRIBUNE)

The Federal Government would extend its sway over individuals and communities if Congress creates a new Cabinet-level Department of Urban Affairs and Housing.

Two bills to establish the new department are before congressional committees.

They are S. 1633 and H.R. 6433. Both are backed by the administration. The Senate bill is co-authored by Sen. Clair Engle, D-Calif.

These proposals should be defeated. They would take America still further down the road of federal control over our lives and affairs. They would weaken still further the already sagging morale and responsibility of our cities.

The argument in favor of the new Cabinet post is that 85 per cent of the population now lives in urban areas, but that this big group has no voice in the Cabinet. They cite the Agriculture Department as justification for the new Department of Urban Affairs and Housing.

We say this is one of the best arguments AGAINST the new department. If the federal government were to run our local affairs in the same manner that the Agriculture Department handles the farmers' problems -- heaven help us!

The proposed department would gather under one big tent a flock of existing government agencies, including the Housing and Home Finance Agency, the Federal Housing Administration, the Public Housing Administration and the National Housing Council.

Those in favor of this move say it is good administrative practice to place these independent agencies, now responsible to the President and Congress directly, under one chief.

This is an appealing argument. But it loses it plausibility when we remember the built-in capacity of government departments to grow and grow and grow.

Even as a starter, the two bills now before congressional committees provide for 40 positions at salaries in excess of $22,000, and for innumerable other positions in the classified civil service.

Furthermore, this lumping together of some 64 federal matching grant programs would concentrate in one spot tremendous pressures for ever more federal subsidies.

As this over-all new department extended its tentacles into more and more communities, the resistance of those cities and towns willing and able to manage their own affairs would be weakened.

The inevitable result of this creeping centralized government authority would be loss of local initiative, responsibility, control and freedom of choice.

America's urban dwellers should tell Congress they want no part of this proposed new bureaucracy to rule their affairs.

BOTH WRONG

In an attempt to whitewash the shocking bargain-rate sale by our government of 130 F86 jet fighters to Communist Yugoslavia former President Eisenhower recently stated: "I see not only nothing wrong with the thing, under the same circumstances I would have done the same thing."

Actually, the former President was taking less "credit" than he deserves, for he was seeking to brush off an inexcusable blunder which his own administration initiated and which President Kennedy, in equally inexcusable fashion, put into operation and continued to perpetrate.

The F86 jets, said Mr. Eisenhower, were obselete and on the way to the scrap heap. But the fact remains that the same type of fighters we are practically giving away to a Communist enemy are at this moment being flown by units of our own armed forces!

The Value Of Liberty

"Those who would give up essential liberty to purchase a little temporary safety deserve neither liberty nor safety."
--Benjamin Franklin

PUZZLE FOR HISTORIANS

(Reprinted from The Richmond (Va.) NEWS LEADER)

Everyone knows now, what Senator Dodd and others have been saying for the past two years -- that the Russians were using the "moratorium" on nuclear testing to catch up with the United States. While we let our supremacy slip, the Russians were perhaps testing, and certainly preparing to test.

The scale and speed and intensity of this preparation can be measured by the time-table of tests in the past few weeks. In rapid-fire order, the Russians have exploded at least thirty-one bombs -- each explosion demanding elaborate count-down procedures and post-detonation scrutiny of results. And each explosion is a step forward in the race between America and Russia.

In the furor and human resentment against the Russians, it is natural to look at the savage disregard of human decency. But a more important task, for political leaders, is to assess the mistakes that led America into its suicidal surrender of nuclear supremacy to the Russians. The ban-the-bombers are finally turning some of their wrath against Russia; but they do not see that America's bomb is a force for peace. Adlai Stevenson criticized the fifty-megaton explosion for its disregard of world opinion." But that is not the real point. If one is right, world opinion should not be a decisive factor.

The real tragedy involved here is not that nuclear bombs are being tested, but that America's primacy is being whittled away. That wise man, Winston Churchill, once rebuked the bomb-banners by saying that the atom bomb was the only thing that kept post-war Europe free from total Communist domination. The same could be said of the world's freedom; when America loses its power to prevent Russian attack, nothing stands between us and Communist enslavement but the whim or good will of Nikita Khrushchev. And we know what to expect from him.

The sad irony of this affair is already coming home to us; but it will shock and astonish historians when the twentieth-century has receded and come into focus. Strange to say, the wild charge of Robert Welch--that Eisenhower was a crypto-Communist--may yet become a respectable hypothesis for future historians. It will be too great a strain on man's credulity to believe that Americans could surrender their one point of national strength by trusting an avowed enemy whose entire history is a sequence of broken treaties and betrayed commitments. How could American leaders have been so irresponsible as to have accepted the "moratorium"?

Mr. Eisenhower is not, of course, a Communist or a crypto-Communist. But one does not have to analyze labels or master political science to sense the atmosphere of desperate concessions, of deliberate blindness about the Communist threat, of academic hocus-pocus meant to prove that Russia is changing--the whole false air of hope and of hopelessness that befogs Washington and numbs the American will to resist. It is a shame that Mr. Eisenhower's record will grow so dark that men will wonder at his loyalty; but doubt it they may, when the miasmic distortions and mists clear away with time, The motives and meaning of American acts will become inexplicable. How could we? How could we?

Castro To Export Cuban Children To Soviet Union

Columnists Robert S. Allen and Paul Scott in their "Washington Report" of November 1 report on a Cuban decree nationalizing children which becomes effective January 1, 1962. This decree is to affect all Cuban children, starting at the age of 3, barring their religious training in homes or elsewhere. From the ages of 3 to 10, Cuban children will live in state institutions controlled by the Communist-dominated Organization of Children Circles, being allowed to visit their homes only two days a month. From the age of 10, Cuban children can be sent to Russia, Red China, or anywhere else deemed appropriate, for "further instruction."

Columnists Allen and Scott reveal that an authentic copy of this decree is in the hands of leaders of the Organization of American States, although it is being treated as "secret," and has not been published in the Official Gazette in order to avoid hostile reaction in other Latin-American countries.

Violations of this decree, it is reported, will result in being branded as "counter-revolutionary" and will be prosecuted in Castro's special "revolutionary courts," with penalties of imprisonment ranging from two to 15-years.

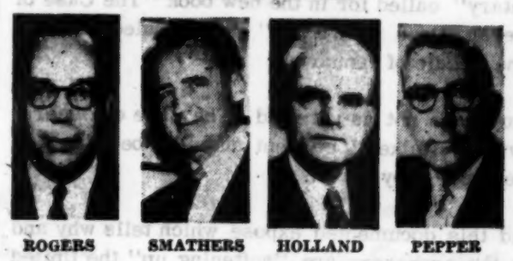
All Of A Pattern

The Kennedy Administration turns over U.S. military aircraft to help crush foes of communism in Katanga. But last spring the administration refused to use American planes to shield anti-Castro Cubans who sought to free their homeland from Red tyranny.

By Louisiana Conservative

Our Politicians Tabbed With 'Socialist Index'

THE MIAMI HERALD


ROGERS SMATHERS HOLLAND PEPPER

By BYRON SCOTT
Of Our Broward Bureau

HOLLYWOOD — A red-headed Louisiana editor charged Tuesday that Rep. Paul Rogers is "60 per cent pro-Socialist."

Kent Courtney, publisher of the New Orleans conservative newspaper "The Independent American" spoke at a combined luncheon meeting of South Broward Rotary Clubs.

Courtney said Rogers' "Socialist" indice was arrived at through a study of "20 key congressional votes" by the Conservative Society of America of which he is national chairman.

According to the study, he stated, Rogers is "just 40 per cent conservative."

Courtney, who admits he has been roundly attacked for his "radical point of view," recently announced as a candidate for Louisiana Sen. Russell Long's Senate seat in 1962.

Sen. George Smathers is "70 per cent pro-Socialist," said Courtney and Sen. Spessard Holland just 30 per cent.

Dade's Rep. Dante Fascell is "95 per cent Socialist," Courtney charged. Claude Pepper, candidate for Dade's new House seat is "100 per cent Socialist," he added.

Courtney also attacked the Kennedy administration for proceeding toward Socialism "with the throttle wide open."

He also spoke Tuesday at a Miami rally in the Columbus Hotel. A syndicated radio news interpreter when he gets time, Courtney also speaks tonight in Palm Beach's Flagler Museum.

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ANTI-KENNEDY DEMOCRAT BEATS REPUBLICAN

(Reprinted from the SHREVEPORT (La.) JOURNAL)

Joe D. Waggonner's election as the new representative of Louisiana's Fourth Congressional District is a victory for the cause of political independence - a rebuke to the liberals who today dominate both the Democratic and the "me too" Republican parties.

In giving their enthusiastic endorsement to Mr. Waggonner and his platform, the 33,846 citizens who voted for him in the general election December 19 were supporting a man who had campaigned for unpledged presidential electors last year rather than give his support to the socialistic platforms on which the Democratic and Republican nominees were running.

It was in the presidential race that Mr. Waggonner took his stand beside other such conservative Southern Democrats as Gov. Ross Barnett of Mississippi and former State Senator W. M. Rainach of Louisiana in defiance of John F. Kennedy and Richard M. Nixon. Mr. Waggonner served as Fourth District campaign manager for the States' Rights Democrats' coalition ticket of unpledged elector candidates.

Mr. Waggonner's victory also comes as recognition of his outstanding service as a member of the Louisiana State Board of Education, a position in which he has been a staunch foe of federal aid to education and other forms of centralized government.

In congratulating Mr. Waggonner on his outstanding victory, The Journal also compliments Republican Candidate Charlton H. Lyons for a vigorous campaign in which he polled 28,275 votes - the most impressive accomplishment for a Republican congressional candidate in this district in 88 years.

Republican partisans supporting Mr. Lyons almost succeeded in "selling" the voters of the Fourth Congressional District one of the greatest political myths of history - the myth that the Republican party's present national program is less socialistic than that of the Democrats. Thousands of citizens apparently fell for the false Republican propaganda that the election of Mr. Waggonner would constitute an endorsement of the Kennedy administration.

Mr. Waggonner, now only 43, is a businessman - a wholesale distributor of petroleum products - who resides in the historic little town of Plain Dealing. His election to Congress has placed him in a position to play a vital role in the history of Louisiana and the nation for years to come.

The Journal applauds the spirit in which Mr. Waggonner accepted his victory with these words:

"We were conservatives together in this race.

"The paramount desire of the voters was to choose a constitutional conservative and though Mr. Lyons and I differed on some points, our major views are still parallel tonight. He is to be congratulated by every voter and indeed every citizen, for the contribution he made toward uplifting the political profession.

"It would be my fondest hope that we can now put aside all partisan politics and unite in a common effort to return to those constitutional principles that we must recapture if the United States is to remain the bastion of freedom and Godliness we want it to be."

As Mr. Waggonner embarks upon his new mission as the Fourth District's congressman, he carries with him The Shreveport Journal's pledge of cooperation and assistance in all projects for the good of America.

AUDIENCE RESPONSE

Former President Dwight D. Eisenhower, speaking at one of the nation's leading schools of science in Cleveland, Ohio, on November 9, was interrupted only once during his half-hour speech with applause. This was when he stated, "I, for one, do not fully understand why, in the midst of a plethora of necessary and costly activities, our nation should be required, urgently, to develop a capacity to put men on the moon and challenge our principal opponent in doing so."

But General Edwin A. Walker, speaking in Dallas, Texas, on December 12 regarding the need to vigorously oppose Communism in all its forms, was interrupted 109 times during the course of his 90-minute speech by applause.

Industry To Be Socialized ?

(Reprinted from Southern States Industrial Council Bulletin)

Current news reports indicate that the Kennedy Administration has begun its push to extend and liberalize the reciprocal trade act. In a speech reported to have President Kennedy's blessing, Mr. George W. Ball, an Undersecretary of State, has proposed a repudiation of protectionism, and to "open the doors and windows of our economy to the competition we must face in world markets."

Among other statements ascribed to Mr. Ball is the following: The Federal Government "should be empowered to provide assistance to sustain and facilitate" the transfer of labor and capital from industries "which cannot stand up to foreign competition" into other areas of production.

If this proposed plan means anything it is the complete taking over of our industrial economy--both man and machine--by the Federal Government. And you will note that nothing is said about payment by the government; which no doubt means there will be no change in the title, the property will still be yours--for whatever that may be worth.

Mr. Ball made other statements that are interesting:

The President should have authority to negotiate tariff cuts and reduce trade restrictions to achieve "much broader and more ambitious bargains on behalf of the United States industry." The proposed new legislation "must also establish a basis for continuing an open trading world, with nations other than those in the common market."

Adding these statements together, there is only one result--the socializing of our economy through federal expropriation and control.

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KENNEDY O. K.'S RED MAIL

(Excerpts from an interview with Congressman Glenn C. Cunningham by Dean Clarence Manion on the Manion Forum of the Air.)

MR. CUNNINGHAM: Thank you, Dean Manion. Since March 17, 1961, tons of Communist propaganda have been flowing into this country. It is being delivered free by the Post Office Department to high school and college groups, nationality groups, minority groups, libraries, educators and many thousands of individuals, including many young people.

This Communist propaganda is made up of newspapers, magazines, and special booklets and pamphlets which present the Soviet line on West Berlin, nuclear testing and other world problems. It comes to this country from both sides of the Iron Curtain and from all parts of the world. Under terms of the Universal Postal Union, this Nation has agreed to deliver such mail without charge.

It is interesting to note that, under both the Truman and Eisenhower Administrations, this propaganda material was intercepted at the major ports of entry. Notices were sent to persons this propaganda was addressed to, and these people were asked if they had ordered such material or if they wanted to receive it.

Fewer than ten per cent said they wanted to see this material. The rest said they did not order it, did not want it, and could not understand how or why they should be on such a mailing list. So over ninety per cent of this propaganda was dumped into the trash.

But, on March 17, 1961, the Kennedy Administration cancelled this inspection program . . . and, since that time, all of this material has been delivered free by the postmen to homes, colleges, libraries and other places throughout the country. The ending of this inspection and notification program of March 17 has, by itself, increased the amount of the Communist propaganda delivered in this country at least tenfold . . . .

Frankly, I am at a loss to understand the thinking behind the March 17 order...and so are some Government employees who have worked on this inspection program in years past. I am convinced that they have been muzzled and told to keep quiet about the flow of this Communist propaganda, which continues at such a high level. . . .

On August 31, I introduced a bill in the House of Representatives which would bar such material from our mail. In the few weeks remaining in the last session, a dozen other Congressmen joined me in introducing identical bills. . .

I believe--and I have reason to think this is true -- that vast quantities of this Communist propaganda flow into the country through the many other ports of entry. Thus, there is no accurate record of how much and what kind of material enters the country. It is likely that it is many times the figures which are available to us now. . . .

I cannot for a moment understand how the Administration can come to the Congress and to the American people and ask for higher postage rates when they have let down the bars to this flood of Communist propaganda which the Post Office delivers free for the Communists.

This tremendous flow of propaganda is being paid for by our taxes since it is responsible for a good share of the postal deficit. Every day and every week we pay our postmen to deliver this Communist propaganda; yet, we are asked to approve of higer postage rates to cover the deficit in the Post Office Department.

I say that many strange things are going on and this is one of the strangest. It seems impossible to believe that we are expected to pay for the delivery of the seeds of our destruction.

DEAN MANION: Thank you, Congressman Cunningham. Friends, and Conservative Clubs, take notice. Congressman Cunningham's bill to end this outrage is House Resolution No. 9004. Let us all help the Congressman to get this one passed in January.

Results Of Katanga Madness

(Reprinted from THE TABLET)

What are the likely results from this war in Katanga? Aside from the slaughter and destruction of war these results seem probable:

1. We, who are supposed to be engaged in a war for survival against Communists, will have destroyed an anti-communist people.

2. We will have delivered a priceless gift to the Soviet by destroying the one sturdy bulwark to their progress in the Congo and opening a gateway to Rhodesia and South Africa, both Red targets. In addition we shall have been the means of giving to the Soviet - if the Katangese do not blow up the mines - Katanga's riches, for this territory has 70 per cent of the world's cobalt, needed for hydrogen bombs, and practically the largest deposits of uranium, copper and nickel. Adoula has already designated a Communist, Bocheley-Davidson, to be the administrator of Katanga, and commitments for the mines have likely been made.

3. The United States shall seriously damage our reputation for world leadership, peace, justice, honesty, liberty and friendship, which is so valuable. Our friends Great Britain and France will not go with us; Germany and Italy are shocked; in Belgium demands are made for hanging U.N. and United States leaders, and in large sections of the Congo, hatred of Americans will last for years. And all this at a time when we need allies.

4. A precedent will be established for new wars based not upon moral or legal principles - for the invasion of the Congo appears to be a violation of both law and morality - and now hatred, destruction and division will be sowed. The precedent will be based as David Lawrence says - on the U.N.'s obligation to restore order.

5. American people, says one editorial in the daily press, should realize that the United States is aiding the U.N. Congo operation "not so much for the sake of the Congolese as for the sake of the U.N. In other words the U.N. is doing this; therefore we must support it. That is a drastic distortion of logic; we ought to be realistic enough to see that the U.N., especially with its bloated membership these days, is perfectly capable of acting in diametric opposition to American national interests."

Our threat is from the insidious forces working from within which have already so drastically altered the character of our free institutions.
—Douglas MacArthur.

Somebody Tell Him!

Congressman Hale Boggs, Democrat of Louisiana, speaking recently at a banquet of the East Bank Council, Chamber of Commerce of the New Orleans Area, declared, "There are those who will tell you that we're being subverted and infiltrated by the Communists - but I don't believe it."

Mr. Boggs thus apparently sets himself up as a greater authority on the qustion of Communist Internal subversion in the United States than FBI Director J. Edgar Hoover, who recently stated: "The current widespread ramifications of the Soviet bloc espionage networks which today extend throughout the entire United States, have indicated a realistic need for a further tightening of our security on the homefront. While the Communists speak of peace, their intelligence setup is the most extensive in world history."

FBI Director Hoover reports that "some 200 known or suspected Communist front and Communist-infiltrated organizations are now under investigation by the FBI. Many of these fronts are national in scope, with chapters in various cities throughout the United States. They represent transmission belts through which the Communist Party furthers its conspiratorial designs. . . ."

In the same article, Hoover states: "Some celebrated, self-styled pacifists and some men of wealth and prominence have sometimes been unwitting, but sometimes knowing, political shills and stooges of deceitful Communist manipulators."

THE INDEPENDENT AMERICAN recommends to Congressman Boggs a thorough study of J. Edgar Hoover's remarks as contained in an article by James E. Warner in WORLD (Nov. 8, 1961), as we do not believe he would relish being termed either a political shill or stooge of Communism.

Editorial Round-Up

ON GENERAL WALKER

On November 3, 1961, as the last issue of THE INDEPENDENT AMERICAN was going to press, news was flashed throughout the nation that Major General Edwin A. Walker had resigned from the U. S. Army, and thus refused to accept normal retirement benefits which would have amounted to over $12,000 per year, in order that he might continue his fight against Communism.

Below is a round-up of editorial comment from throughout the nation regarding General Walker's resignation.

MUNCIE (Ind.) EVENING PRESS

The general's statement of resignation was characteristically forthright: "I take leave of military duty with a heavy heart. I must find other means of serving my country in the time of her great need, in order to pursue the dedication of a lifetime. To do this, I must be free from the power of little men who, in the name of my country, punish loyal service to it."

The words express both the conviction of the man, and the pathos of our condition. They will be remembered by the American people as a manifesto of patriotic affirmation; and they may prove to be the beginning of a long overdue campaign to end the national folly of appeasement.

THE INDIANAPOLIS STAR

...We welcome, in sadness for him but with joy for the cause of American freedom, Gen. Walker's return to civilian life. What he could not do under restraints imposed upon him by his timorous superiors he is now free to do as a citizen of this country we love.

We are certain that he will fight for freedom for America in the spirit of the final words of his splendid statement to the Senate Armed Services Committee:

"War has been declared.

"Every man is a soldier.

"I think of the words of the Marine general to his men: " 'We are surrounded. We must not let them get away!' "

HUMBOLDT (Iowa) REPUBLICAN

General Walker, one of our top military commanders, sought to tell his men of the dangers of Communism and was promptly removed from his command by the brass in the Pentagon * * * *

We need firm, alert, able military leaders. . . . There are a lot of other things we also need for security, and there are some things we do not need. Hide-bound "afraid-for-their-future" military brass is one of the things we don't need.

General Walker was a good and an able general. . .We need his kind.

LOS ANGELES HERALD-EXPRESS

...Has it become a national sin to defend ourselves against the inroads of communism in this country? Why should it be against national policy and regulations for military officers to warn their men against its dangers? * * * *

The men in the military who are being heckled are not trying to run this country. They are just TRYING to defend it.

PANAMA CITY (Fla.) HERALD

Things have come to a pretty pass in this country when the right of the Rockwells to speak is upheld by the U.S. Supreme Court and the rights of Walkers is abridged by military commanders with approval of the President.

THE (Phoenix) ARIZONA REPUBLIC

In the end, it was General Walker's insistence on patriotism from his troops -- men who "literally didn't know why they were wearing the uniform of the United States" -- that brought about his downfall. For patriotism -- that is, love of one's country -- is unwelcome on the New Frontier, where the United Nations, and not the U.S., is considered the hope of the world. And so General Walker was made to pay the penalty.

BURLINGTON (N.C.) TIMES-NEWS

A stalwart, outspoken patriot like Gen. Walker serves an important purpose when he declares himself foursquare against leftist domination in the United States. He becomes a beacon of Americanism that helps other, less venturesome citizens find courage to fight and overcome those who want to create a Soviet America. . . .

MOBILE (Ala.) PRESS

Thought control is not consistent with the American system. Yet this is precisely what the liberals are attempting to accomplish. It is well that we have men like Senator Thurmond and General Walker to dissent from this trend toward dictatorship.

But in our book, the more these men are condemned by the liberal crowd, the more we admire them.

DEXTER (Mich.) LEADER

We desperately need the Walker type of leadership not just against Communism, but in the fight to make patriotism respectable once more.

NASHVILLE (Ark.) NEWS

General Walker can help do much to dissolve the spirit of defeatism being spawned by the Comsymps and the far leftists, and we await with anticipation when the Senate Armed Services Committee finally gets around to hearing the story of a patriot who tosses aside a $12,000 retired income to do his bit in the fashion he feels best for America.

SENECA (S.C.) JOURNAL AND TRIBUNE

The Senate Armed Services Committee had better, while there is yet time, rip out enough Federal woodwork to find the nest where defeatism is being spawned and step on the crawlers that are so busily trying to infect us with the idea the patriotism is corny and anti-communism is too, too unsophisticated! . . .

COLUMBUS (Ohio) DISPATCH

It would embarrass the Army no end, of course, if it could be established that it had disciplined a general officer for doing no more than following orders. But is that mistake any worse than driving a capable and dedicated soldier out of the Army on charges which perhaps originated with his ideological enemies?

THE NEWS AND COURIER, Charleston, S. C.

In Edwin Walker, the people of the United States evidently have a citizen who is mentally and morally prepared to lead the pro-Blue campaign against the Red enemy within.

DEFIANCE (Ohio) CRESCENT-NEWS

As a civilian, General Walker will attempt to do what he found he could not in uniform. He should find a wide popular response. There is a groundswell of concern over the fact that we have been losing and the fear that for 15 years our government has not been pursuing a successful policy in the conflict with communism.

JACKSON (Tenn.) SUN

General Walker can win the solid support of Americans by giving them a leadership which will tolerate but one kind of decision or action -- that which is based solely upon what is good for the United States without equivocation, come what may . . . .

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